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## TRUMAN SECURE DESPITE THREAT OF PARTY REVOLT

Senator Pepper Throws  
Hat in Ring; South  
May Bolt Convention

PHILADELPHIA, July 11 (AP)—A committee of rebelling Dixie Democrats proposed tonight that the name of Gov. Ben Laney, of Arkansas, be put before the party's national convention in opposition to President Truman.

PHILADELPHIA, July 11 (AP)—Revolt flared up from the South and parts of the North tonight—but the Truman-for-President bandwagon rolled on with hardly a jolt.

And the Democratic high command opened the door wide to Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas for the vice-presidential nomination. But Douglas wasn't talking and the race stayed wide open.

These were the top developments as the party's national convention got ready to open tomorrow.

Senator Claude Pepper of Florida added spice to the hitherto dullish proceedings by proclaiming that he was bowing to a draft and would run against Mr. Truman for the presidential nomination. There were few votes behind him.

Platform committee supporters of President Truman's civil rights program decided at a "rump" session today to carry their fight to the convention floor. Many Dixie Democrats threatened to walk out of the convention.

The Democrats' fight over the race issue boiled up to the point where southerners, if they take a walk, may nominate their own candidate for president and write their own platform at a later convention in the South.

A band of rebellious southern delegates organized and quickly passed a resolution calling for a states' rights platform—leaving enactment of any civil rights legislation to the states.

They hollered their approval of caucus jabs at the President and his civil rights program; and then they decided to let a committee see what can be done about selecting a Dixie standard bearer in the next day or two.

BUT SOUTHERN leaders were saying what nearly everybody else was—that Mr. Truman is going to be nominated on the convention's first ballot.

Americans for Democratic action gave up on Justice Douglas for the presidential nomination. Most delegates had done so long before.

ADA Chairman Leon Henderson announced that "we will accede to Douglas' wishes that ADA stop its drive for him."

Henderson said the organization (Continued on Page Nine)

## U. S. Steel Expected To Increase Wages

PITTSBURGH, July 11 (AP)—The giant U. S. Steel corporation is expected to announce this week a wage increase for 170,000 members of United Steelworkers in its five subsidiaries.

A highly placed spokesman for the corporation, who declined use of his name, said:

"The corporation is under no obligation to increase wages but feels that in view of a continuing climb in the cost of living the worker should be protected."

The steelworkers are working under the second year of a two-year contract. Under terms of the agreement, wage negotiations were reopened in April but the company then turned down a CIO request for a pay boost.

The union accepted the company decision and agreed to abide by the contract's no-strike pledge.

## Stassen Reported Offered Presidency of U. of P.

PHILADELPHIA, July 12 (Monday) (AP)—The Philadelphia Inquirer said today Harold E. Stassen, 41-year-old candidate for the presidential nomination at the recent Republican National convention, has been offered the presidency of the University of Pennsylvania.

## THE WEATHER

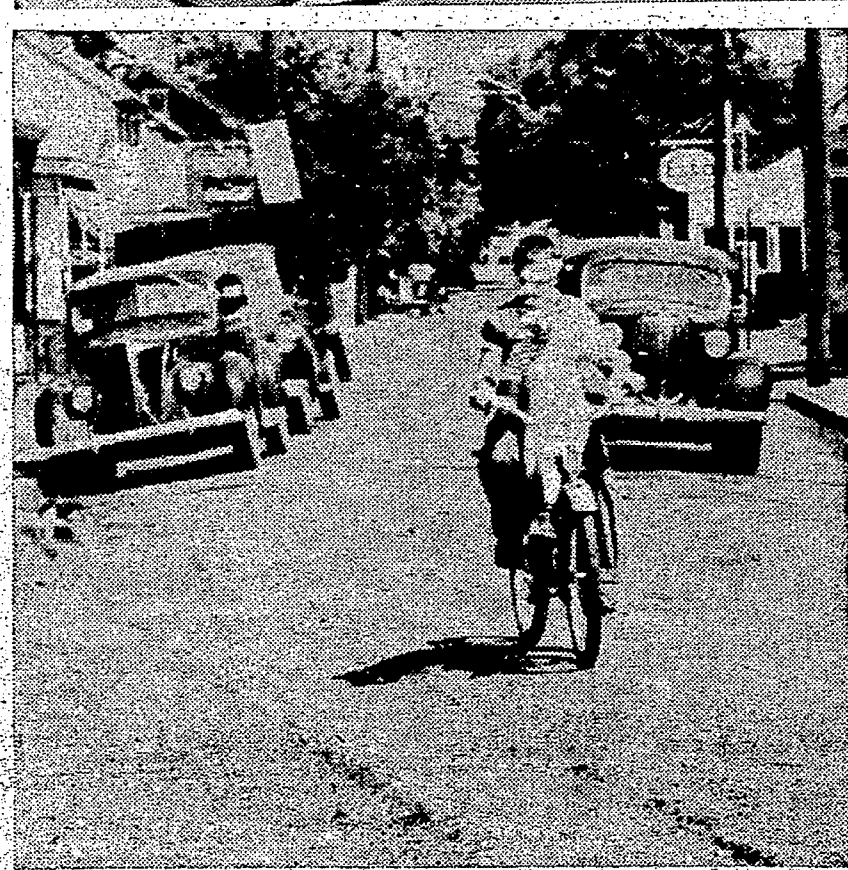
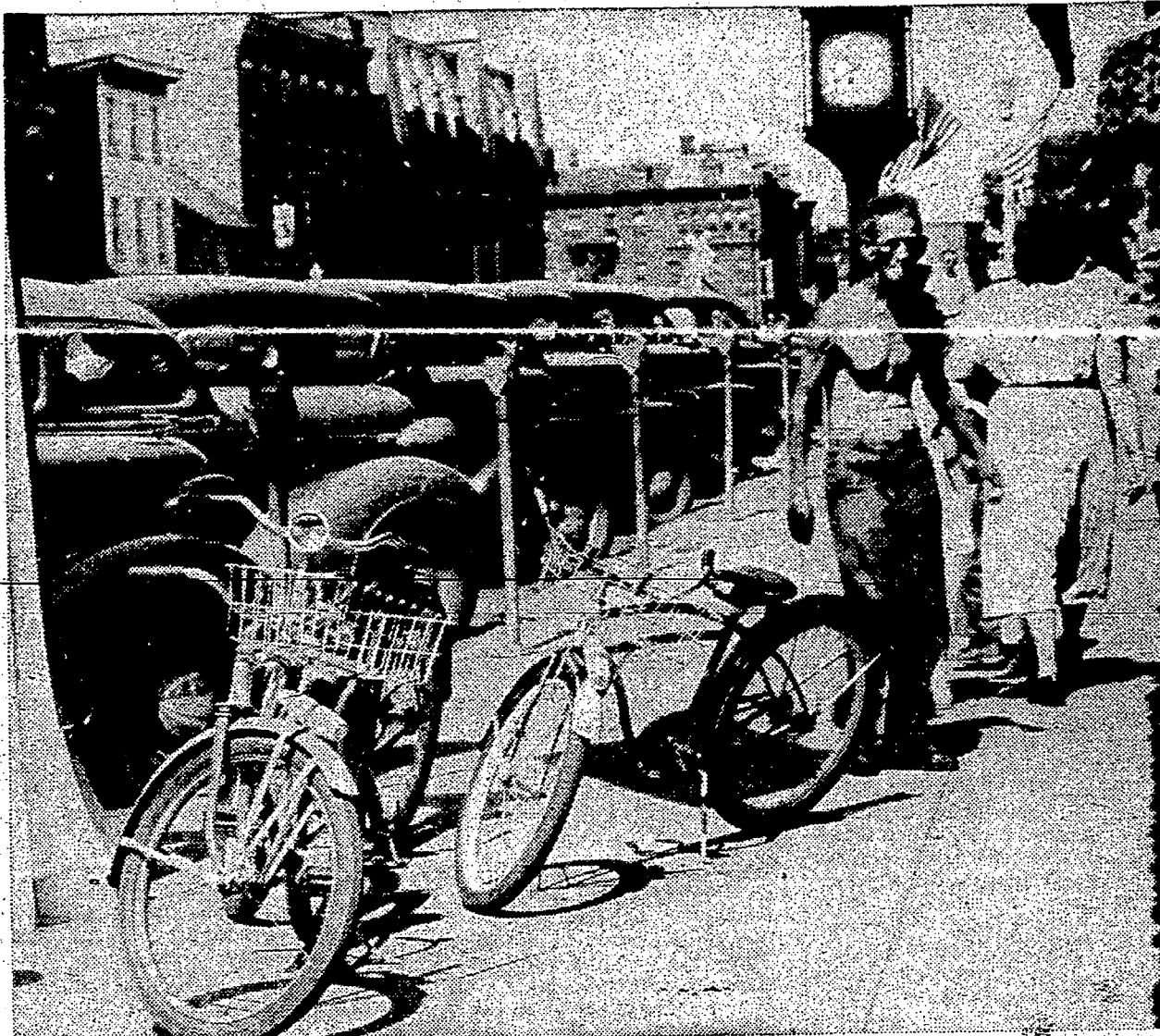
For Eastern Pennsylvania: Partly cloudy, rather warm and humid today and tomorrow.

## 89 Mercury 70 High Antics Low

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## Bike Ordinance Violators Not Hard for Roving Photographer to Find



When Mercury Staff Photographer Eugene Orlando spent a few minutes roving around town looking for flagrant violations of the borough's bicycle ordinance, he returned with the three photographs shown above. It was what he considered a modest haul. To his surprise, he learned yesterday that he "stopped" on film as many violators as the entire Pottstown Police department stopped in two weeks. At the top, left, a busy workman steps around the pavement-parked bikes that may topple on a strolling child. At left, with their faces "censored," two boys go double-riding. If the boy who is steering had to turn sharply—could he? At top right, a lone rider unknowingly wins the grand champion award for bad bike riding. Don't squint looking for his license. He doesn't have one.

## Sentences Meted Out to 3 Bicyclists 'Nabbed' by Police in 2-Week Drive

By FRED SELBY  
(Mercury Staff Writer)

All violators of the borough bicycle ordinance who have been caught in the net spread by the 20 members of the Pottstown police department for the past two weeks were brought to borough hall Saturday morning.

All three of them. They appeared before a model traffic court conducted by youngsters under the supervision of Earl R. Strange, safety instructor for the Pottstown schools.

The court ran smoothly under Strange's coaching and could easily have handled scores of violators in a short time.

As it was, if each of the three went out and told two friends about what happened, then exactly the same number of Pottstown children would have first-hand experience with the penalty end of the ordinance, since it was passed eight months ago, as have been injured by bike accidents in the past 45 days.

THE COURT was held in the roomy chambers of borough council. A firm-mannered girl of 17, Lee Ellis, of 24 Beech street, was the judge.

Two clerks sat at the judge's left, industriously writing details of the brief session—Milton Wentzel, 12, of 438 High street, and Donald Brown, 14, of 520 North Franklin street.

A youthful jurist, which proved to be unnecessary, sat in the front row, while on the judge's right sat Police Chief James A. Lang behind his portable typewriter.

Judge Ellis chose as a sentence for the three teen-agers, all of whom pleaded guilty, the writing

of a 500-word essay on bicycle safety.

"Cheese, Oh man!" was the sorrowful but unresentful reaction of one girl to this sentence.

The violations were double-riding, two of the violators were aping up a symbolic state such as Vatican City to represent its 12,000,000 Jews.

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Symbolic Statehood  
On Vatican Plane  
Urged for Jewry

CAIRO, July 11 (AP)—Abdel Rahman Azzam Pasha, secretary-general of the Arab league, proposed tonight that the world consider setting up a symbolic state such as Vatican City to represent its 12,000,000 Jews.

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## Tradition Bypassed For Lodge's Festival

Maria Assunta lodge will hold its annual festival on Aug. 14 at the South Washington street playground.

But this year it will be different. For the first time in the club's quarter-century history, there will be no Italian band.

Difficulties in getting the band from Philadelphia have forced the abandonment of the tradition, 36 members were told yesterday at a meeting.

Instead, this year, there will be a local cowboy group.

In addition there will be fireworks and various edibles which the affair has had in past years.

Jerry Ottaviano, president, presided at the meeting.

## Woman Finds It 'Pain-ful' To Enter Own Home

Mrs. Alice Dunlap, 26, of Pottstown RD 4, suffered a deep laceration of the right arm at 12:30 a. m. Sunday morning when she tried to enter her locked home.

When the door wouldn't open, she decided to punch a hole in the locked window with her fist.

She was brought to the Pottstown hospital dispensary by neighbors.

## Crashes Occur At Same Place

Hidden Stop Sign Blamed  
For 2 Bucktown Mishaps;  
One Automobile Is Upset

The intersection of Routes 100 and 23 at Bucktown was the scene of two accidents Saturday, with a driver involved in the second one narrowly escaping serious injury when his sedan was overturned.

Howard G. Seibold, South Coventry constable, attributed the accidents to a stop sign on Route 23 which he said is hidden behind a large tree.

Barry Nyman, 24, of Pottstown RD 2, was driving toward Pottstown on Route 100 at 6 p. m. Norman Taylor, 35, of Trenton, N. J., was heading east on Route 23 and could not see the half-hidden stop sign until it was too late.

Taylor's car rammed the left rear of Nyman's sedan, sending it hurtling across the road into a concrete wall on the property near the road.

The sedan bounced off the wall and rolled over on the driver's side. Nyman escaped without a scratch, but the left side and right front of his car was demolished.

The front of the Trenton man's car had about \$200 worth of damage. (Continued on Page Nine)

## Closer Ties to U. S. Sought by India, Missionary Says

Ivy Childs, a native of Bombay, India, and a Methodist missionary in her own country, yesterday told two rural congregations of India's feeling toward this nation and of conditions in her mysterious land.

India is grateful, she said, for material aid from the United States, but still craves closer cultural friendship between the two countries, particularly now that Indian independence has been established.

Ecotically clad in a flowing red and gold dress with the traditional sari over her head, long gold earrings suspended from her ears and red sandals on her feet, Miss Childs spoke to congregations of Cedarville and Temple Methodist churches.

India now feels in a position of servitude to the U. S., she went on, because of the vast supplies this nation has shipped there. If the countries are to be real friends, she declared, they must be equals.

THE PRACTICES of Christianity are in greater evidence in India, supposedly a "heathen" country, than in the U. S., she asserted.

She blamed this on the surfeit of material wealth in this country, a condition which relaxes moral pressure, she said.

In India, however, the people are so desperately poor in many cases that they turn to Christ as their only refuge.

"It makes me wonder why I should go back to India as a missionary," she said.

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## Empty Bottles Often 'Catch-Ails'

By ROBERT TOBIAS  
(Mercury Staff Writer)

Everything except treasure maps and rubies.

BUT ODD CONTENTS in milk bottles aren't the only things that make milkmen look twice.

The experience of Dick Scherer, a deliverer for Bechtel's dairies, Royersford, has been an education in itself.

One housekeeper left him a note asking him to go across the street and wake up another party so they could get to work on time.

"Then too," said Scherer, "there are some people just coming home from a night out about that time of morning and

## Spicer Union Okays Contract, Wage Hike Of 9 to 10 Percent

A wage increase of between 9 and 10 percent for 1800 workers at the Spicer Manufacturing division of the Dana corporation was approved unanimously by members of Local 644, United Automobile Workers (CIO), yesterday afternoon.

The workers filled the auditorium of the Pottstown Senior High school auditorium to hear an explanation of the wage boosts agreed upon by union and management officials.

Local 644 members also approved the extension of the contract with the company from Jan. 22, 1949, until Jan. 22, 1950.

Negotiations for wage changes may be opened after July 12, 1949, under the new agreement.

Under the new wage clause, bonus workers at the plant will receive ten cents an hour more, and non-bonus workers 13 cents an hour more.

ROBERT B. CONNER, chairman of the union's bargaining committee, and Gene Dahl, industrial relations director at the Spicer plant, explained after the meeting that the bonus and non-bonus workers

each comprised approximately half the plant personnel, and that under the wage system at the factory, the increases were equal for all employees.

Approval of the boosts brought the average wage at the Spicer plant up to approximately \$1.71 an hour, and represented an increase of between nine and ten percent.

Included in the new agreement is a starting wage of \$1.07 an hour, instead of the old rate of 94 cents an hour.

Walter A. Bolton, president of Local 644, and Dahl declared yesterday.

"We feel sure that this agreement will mean the continuation of industrial peace at the Spicer plant."

IT WAS EMPHASIZED that the signing of the agreement meant the automatic cancellation of a tentative strike call at the plant.

A strike had been approved by the union membership for any date after July 7, at a meeting held in the Senior High school auditorium the past June 13.

The strike was held off, however, while negotiations continued.

At a meeting the past Saturday between union and management officers, final details of the new wage plan were worked out for submission to the union members.

Dahl said yesterday that the new rates would be put into effect immediately.

## 15-Minute Rush Brings Four to Hospital Dispensary

It began to look like a conspiracy in Memorial hospital's dispensary last night when four victims of minor accidents appeared there within 15 minutes.

James P. Langan, 49, of Stowe, was most seriously injured. He suffered from a possible fracture of the jaw and a discolored eye. He did not divulge details of the accident or encounter.

Elwilda Tamm, 15, of Pottstown RD 2, was next, with a laceration of the left knee sustained when she fell from her bike while riding near her house. Kenneth Straw brought her to the hospital.

As internes and nurses put down the lotion in came Larry Mauger, 36, of 805 Sheridan street, who had been cut by a broken glass at his home.

Francis Adamski, 17, of 431 Water street, ended the parade, as he was treated for an abrasion of the right knee. He told the nurses that it happened while he was swimming in the river.

The weatherman called the pitch on the "hot" weekend as accurately as it could be called without telling how many inches it would cut on the corner of the plate.

The prediction, which came true—increasing heat, cloudiness and humidity, gathering throughout the weekend—sent cool-seekers onto the highways in droves and into the swimming holes in flocks.

It wasn't excessively hot yesterday, only 89 degrees, but the humidity sharpened its edge. The thin chill in the afternoon did little to diminish the effect.

For today and tomorrow the outlook is about the same—warm, partly cloudy and humid.

More mint julep, Sambo!

## Plan to Beat the Heat Proves Fatal to Berks Man

READING, July 11 (AP)—Charles R. Showalter put a bed on the roof to escape the heat.

It turned out to be a fatal idea. The 21-year-old Reading man tumbled to his death yesterday from the roof of his three-story home, Patrolman Donald Ray said. He died of a skull fracture.

ON THE  
**MAIN DRAG**

WILLIE MILLER  
—witnessing near-accident.

EARL S. YOHN  
—moving his family to a country home.

PAUL SHEDDER  
—removing waste paper from a sidewalk.

GEORGE T. ARMS  
—turning from a Pottsville trip.

DANIEL S. DRUMHELLER  
—doing some house painting.

WILLIAM BODEN  
—buying a late newspaper.

WILLIAM H. PRICE  
—installing a "cow" at the water basin.

HAROLD LEH  
—painting his sidewalk.

JOHN BELL  
—attending a public sale.



# Jews Attack Count Bernadotte As Governing Up for Arabs

## Douglas, General Clay Review Berlin Crisis

BERLIN, July 11 (AP) — Lewis Douglas, American ambassador to Britain, flew to Templehof airfield tonight and went into immediate conference with Gen. Lucius D. Clay over the Berlin crisis.

Douglas was to receive a complete report from the American military governor.

The American ambassador had a leading hand in the three-power protest to Russia asking that the blockade be lifted. Responsible officials said he probably would plan the next western Allied move if Russia rejects the Allied notes.

Clay's office said today they had received no indication that Moscow was ready to reply to the three-power protest over the three-week-old food and fuel blockade.

The Russian-controlled news agency said it had received nothing yet on the Russian answer and had no indication when it might be received.

The Moscow press and radio made no comment on the Berlin crisis.

Tonight's conferences were at Gen. Clay's residence. His political advisor, Ambassador Robert Murphy, took part.

Douglas arrived at busy Templehof as western airmen were toping the 1000-ton food target for the third straight day.

Douglas told newsmen his quick trip to Berlin was not part of any particular western Allied diplomatic maneuvering. He said he planned to return to London tomorrow. He added that the British are taking a "very determined stand on the Berlin situation."

SOME OBSERVERS believed that a break in the situation was near, but no available facts bolstered this theory.

It seemed obvious that the Russians were trying to force the western Allies into four-power discussions of the over-all German question. One Soviet-licensed German paper said today the western powers would have to show their "good will" by withdrawing the new deutsche mark currency from circulation in Berlin.

The Russian-controlled press in Berlin has been hacking away at the suggestion the Allies should engage in new four-power talks. They hinted this would roll up the iron curtain on food and fuel.

Western power authorities see no point in entering over-all negotiations on a basis that always has ended in deadlock here. They charge the Russians with exploiting the Germans in an effort to drive the western Allies out of Berlin.

AS THE TOP American officials conferred the Allied air shuttle, downed on.

Flying in bad weather, the American air force kept up a war-time tempo. In a 24-hour period ending at 2 p. m. today the Americans said they had flown in 1038 tons of food and other supplies on 190 flights.

This brought the total supplies flown across the Russians' land blockade from the west since June 26 to 9847 tons. The air force has made 2481 flights in "operation Vittles" and covered 1,537,855 miles. There have been only three mishaps, one of which cost three American lives.

to the papal state. In Rome the only Vatican source available tonight said he had never heard of Draganovic.

Borba also disclosed that more young Yugoslavs sent to Russia to prepare for future leadership in the Communist party have been given personal risk to pledge support to Tito.

BORBA PUBLISHED the Communist newspaper today together with a long article reiterating the defenses of Premier-Marshall Tito's Yugoslav Communist party against charges of "deviations" made recently by the Communist International Information Bureau (Cominform).

Pavlic is believed to be in exile in Italy. Draganovic also is believed to have been somewhere outside of Yugoslavia since the war.

(The Vatican's annuario pontificio does not list Draganovic's name, indicating he is not attached to the papal state.)

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LAKE SUCCESS, July 11 (AP) — A spokesman for the government of Israel today accused Count Folke Bernadotte of apologizing for Arab aggression and prejudicing Palestine peace efforts.

The Jewish attack on the U. N. mediator came on the eve of his arrival here from the Middle East. It marked the first time that either the Jews or Arabs have openly assailed the Swedish count, who has been seeking to bring them together for weeks.

Declaring that the Arabs rejected a truce extension and resumed their war of aggression, a spokesman for the Israeli government said in a special statement to newsmen:

"The mediator does not facilitate appropriate action under the U. N. charter when he raises unjustified doubts about the finality of the Arab rejection and minimizes the scale and character of Arab aggression."

"According to press dispatches from Rome, Bernadotte described renewed Arab attacks as incidents. When human lives are lost, when a truce is flagrantly violated and when the Security Council is defied, it shows a lack of sensitivity to describe all these as incidents or to suggest as Bernadotte does that the Arabs had some reason for saying no."

"Such an apology for aggression does not augur well for any successful resumption by the mediator of his mission."

"It now devolves upon the Security Council to move forward under Article 39 (Calling for steps to stop war). Any action to avert or delay this logical and imperative course by whomsoever it is made is not a contribution to peace."

The Israeli statement came as informed quarters here looked for a resumption of Russian attacks on Bernadotte.

The Israeli delegation to the U. N. also called on the council to notify all governments that four-week truce has been ended through Arab rejection of a prolongation.

U. S. Businessmen Are Urged to Invest Dollars in Europe

WASHINGTON, July 11 (AP) — American business was invited today to pour \$300,000,000 into new private investments in Europe with this lure: a government guarantee that the earnings will be paid in dollars.

Paul G. Hoffman, issued an order under which his Economic Co-operation Administration will take the foreign currencies received by United States firms going into the European field, and will pay dollars for them.

In a statement, Hoffman described the plan as "a substantial inducement to American capital to seek profitable employment abroad."

More important, he said, is its potential "great value in aiding recovery" overseas.

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## Ike Happy in Present Presidency



While a telegram containing his "final and complete" refusal to all efforts to draft him as a presidential candidate was being read in Philadelphia, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, wearing his robes of office as president of Columbia university, flashed this big, happy smile at New York during reception and luncheon at Columbia for President Romulo Gallegos of Venezuela.

## Experts Say U. S. Jet Engines Equal of Any in the World

WASHINGTON, July 11 (AP) — The United States now has jet warplane engines equal to or more powerful than any, defense officials believe.

In making this estimate for a reporter today, experts of the committee on aeronautics of the research and development board pointed out that in 1946 it was publicly estimated the British were two years ahead of the United States in jet propulsion power plants.

However, British designs still have the ability to get greater distance, committee experts indicate. This limitation on range has bothered jet plane designers of all nations. Jet planes go fast but not far.

After commenting on the fact that the United States was lagging behind Britain in jet development in 1946, the Defense department authorities summed up the present situation about like this:

Increased effort in the United States since that time has improved American jet power plants materially over a wide field. In the fields of turbo-jet (the most commonly known jet engine used in fighter and bomber planes), rocket (such as is used in the X-1 supersonic experimental plane), pulse-jet and ram-jet (used in some guided missiles, and unmanned experimental aircraft) the United States is "believed now to have power units equivalent to or better than those of any other nation."

North Korea Sets Up Own Red Regime

SEOUL, Monday, July 12 (AP) — Russian-controlled North Korea has raised its own flag and is moving quickly to set up its own government, eventually intending to rule American-occupied South Korea as well.

A North-Korean radio broadcast made public here today said a North Korean "people's council" already has decided to enforce its own constitution there "until the time when the constitution comes to be enforced in all Korea."

The council also scheduled an election for next Aug. 25, the radio announced.

The election would choose members of the legislative branch of the North Korean government.

North Koreans boycotted the general election sponsored by the United Nations the past May 10.

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## Anti-Truman Feeling In State Delegation Loses Most of Punch

PHILADELPHIA, July 11 (AP) — Anti-Truman sentiment in the big Pennsylvania delegation disappeared tonight on the eve of the Democratic convention.

"You can't beat somebody with nobody," commented Richard E. Hartzell Sr., of Lock Haven, a leader of a minority of the 74 delegates previously opposing President Truman.

Hartzell originally supported General Dwight D. Eisenhower for the Democratic presidential nomination.

But now, he said, the fight is over and he will vote for President Truman because "there is nothing else to do."

Hartzell explained he had opposed Mr. Truman earlier because he felt "Eisenhower, more than anyone else, will keep us out of war."

"I have nothing against President Truman," he added. "I think he has been doing the best he can."

ASKED IF other dissenters in the delegation also have given up the fight, Hartzell said a few "are still saying they will vote for anybody but Truman, but I don't agree with that."

The delegation organized two weeks ago in Harrisburg and adopted a resolution endorsing President Truman despite vigorous objections from Hartzell and a few others.

Another caucus will be held here to determine the delegates' individual choices. So far no time has been set for the meeting.

Philip Mathews, State Democratic chairman, has predicted the delegates will be solidly for the President when the vote is taken in the convention.

Little talk was heard in the delegation on possibilities for the second place on the ticket.

JOHN S. RICE, of Gettysburg, delegation chairman, said he personally favors George Marshall, the President's secretary of state.

"If he will take it," he noted, Marshall is a native son of the Keystone state.

Most of the Pennsylvania delegates arrived today and headed for the delegation headquarters opened at the Ritz-Carlton hotel.

DEMOCRATS CUT FARM PLANK TO PLEASE SOUTH

Price Support System Suggested by Truman Eliminated in Platform

PHILADELPHIA, July 11 (AP) — As a gesture to the South, Democratic platform writers may quick pledging the party to one price-aid feature of President Truman's farm program.

That is a system of flexible government price supports recommended by Mr. Truman in his recent farm message to Congress. The system would provide lower floors under most farm products than are provided by existing law.

A tentatively-approved draft of the farm plank makes no mention of flexible supports.

Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan, who helped write it, said the idea of flexible supports was left out because of opposition of Southerners.

THE PLAN is called "flexible" because government "price floors" would move up and down as supplies fell or rose. The present support program does not permit such flexibility.

The theory back of flexibility is this: when supplies of wheat, for instance, are short, there should be a high price floor to encourage production. When supplies are large, the floor should be lowered so farmers will be influenced to cut down production.

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## Episcopal Church to Omit Communion on Sunday

The Rev. George A. Lineker, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, announced yesterday there will be no Holy Communion service at his church at 8 o'clock Sunday morning as he will be on vacation.

The Rev. and Mrs. Lineker will leave today for Algonquin park, near Lake Huron, in Canada. They will return Thursday, July 22.

At 11 o'clock Sunday morning, Ernest Brennenman will be in charge of the service. The sermon will be delivered by Earl R. Strange, Church school and nursery school will be held at the usual time, the Rev. Lineker said.

## Good Will June Report Lists Four Fires, 135 Ambulance Calls; Picnic Arranged

Four minor fires and 135 ambulance calls were reported for the month of June by the Good Will Fire company when members met in monthly session yesterday morning.

The fires and their nature were: June 1, bus brakes smoking, Route 100; June 7, car fire in front of the fire house, no loss; June 16, chimney fire at the home of Paul Mogel, Pottstown RD 1; June 20, short circuit in car of Jack Hoffman, Rosedale drive and Beech street.

Spare also reported four new members were admitted and eight applications for membership were received.

LETTERS OF THANKS were read from Otto Quinke, superintendent of the Upper Perkiomen Valley park for the company's assistance June 9 for a near-drowning victim, and another from Leon J. Levitz for quick action taken by the company in a warehouse fire in April.

Charles Molzen was appointed to the company's fire police force, succeeding William P. Tostle.

The company will participate in a parade at Columbia Saturday. The marching club, under the direction of Jack Ripple, and one piece of apparatus will take part.

Annual picnic for members and their families will take place Sunday, July 25, in Harterstine's grove.

KIN OF JAP PRINCE MISSING TOKYO, July 11 (AP) — Viscount Masanari Takagi, 54, father-in-law of Prince Mikasa, has been missing since July 8, his family reported to police today.

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## Patrice Returns



Patricia Munsel, 22, Metropolitan Oper star, returns to New York after her first concert tour of Europe.

FISHERMAN DROWNS FRANKLIN, July 11 (AP) — Elmer E. Horrell, 43, of North Apollo, drowned and two of his fishing companions were rescued as their boat overturned in the Allegheny river five miles south of here.

MAN KILLED IN CRASH WASHINGTON, Pa., July 11 (AP) — Kurt H. Stapp, 34, of Canonsburg, was killed today as his auto swerved from Route 31 and rolled down a 260-foot embankment, a half-mile east of Washington.

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## CHURCH CALENDAR

**LUTHERAN**  
St. James, the Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor. Today, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m. Wednesday, Sunday school teachers and officers meeting, 8 p. m. Thursday, church choir, 8 p. m. Saturday, Sunday school and church picnic at Sunnybrook, 2 p. m.

St. Peter's, the Rev. Kenneth A. Anderson, pastor. Today, closing exercises for vacation Bible school, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, Women's Missionary society at home of Mrs. Stanley Stetler, 7 p. m. Thursday, choir, 8 p. m.

Emmanuel, the Rev. Luther A. Krouse, pastor. Today, church picnic at Sunnybrook, 6:30 p. m. cars leave church at 6:15 p. m. in case of rain it will be held at church at 8 p. m. Tomorrow, young folks evening of fellowship at Sunnybrook, cars leave church at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, troop committee of Girl Scouts at Emmanuel picnic meeting at Summer of Dr. and Mrs. Paul Z. Hoffman, Ringing Rocks park, 12 noon.

Grace, the Rev. Asa S. Wohlson, pastor. Tomorrow, Luther League at Daniel Boone home, 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, Young Women of Grace meet at Montgomery County park, cars leave church from 6 to 7 p. m. Saturday, annual picnic at Sunnybrook, 2 p. m.

**BAPTIST**  
First, the Rev. Delaine E. Story, pastor. Wednesday, Sunday school outing at Montgomery county park, 1 p. m. Saturday, Fideles class picnic at home of Roy Moe, Boyertown, 4 p. m.

Second, the Rev. Heywood L. Butler, pastor. Tomorrow, Senior choir, 8 p. m.; Senior ushers meeting at home of Mrs. Veda Beasley, 80 South Adams street, 8 p. m. Wednesday, Junior choir, 7:30 p. m.; Pastors Aid club meeting, 8 p. m. Thursday, weekly prayer service in lecture room, 8 p. m. Friday, hospital auxiliary first anniversary service in church auditorium, 8 p. m.

**REFORMED**  
Trinity, the Rev. John B. Frantz, pastor. Today, Brownie Scouts, 4 p. m.; Sunday school, board of control, 7 p. m. Tomorrow, Mother's class at home of Mrs. Lloyd Stephens, 1348 Queen street, 7:45 p. m.; Fideles class, 8 p. m. Thursday, Girl Scouts, 6:30 p. m.

**EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN**  
Baltzell, the Rev. John L. Smoker, pastor. Wednesday, prayer service, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school council, 8:15 p. m. Friday, choir, 8 p. m.

**METHODIST**  
First, the Rev. Horace N. Olawler, pastor. Today, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; official board at home of Mrs. Anne Lord, Harmonyville road, 8 p. m. Wednesday, midweek service sponsored by Youth Fellowship, 7:45 p. m. Friday, church choir, 7:30 p. m.

Searles Memorial, the Rev. James D. Matchette, pastor. Tomorrow, Federation of Men's Bible Classes at Sunnybrook, 6:30 p. m.

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**OTHER CHURCHES**  
Bible Truth Hall, King and Franklin streets. Thursday, prayer meeting and Bible Study, 7:45 p. m.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. Donald T. Floyd, pastor. Today, official board, 8:30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school board, 8:30 p. m. Thursday, Women's Missionary society picnic on church lawn, 6 p. m.

Assemblies of God Tabernacle, the Rev. Forrest T. Nelson, pastor. Today through Friday, vacation Bible school, 6 to 8 p. m. Friday, closing exercises and display of Vacation Bible school handicraft, 6 p. m.

Christian and Missionary Alliance, the Rev. W. Harry Dickinson, pastor. Tomorrow, cottage prayer meeting at home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mack, 8 p. m. Thursday, Women's prayer meeting, 2 p. m.; Bible study, 8 p. m. Saturday, Time of Prayer, 8 p. m.

Christian Science, 910 High street. Wednesday, testimonies of Christian Science healings, 8 p. m.

Christ Episcopal, the Rev. George A. Lineker, rector. Today, Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Tomorrow, Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m.

Holiness Christian, the Rev. Charles Emery, pastor. Wednesday, prayer service, 7:45 p. m.

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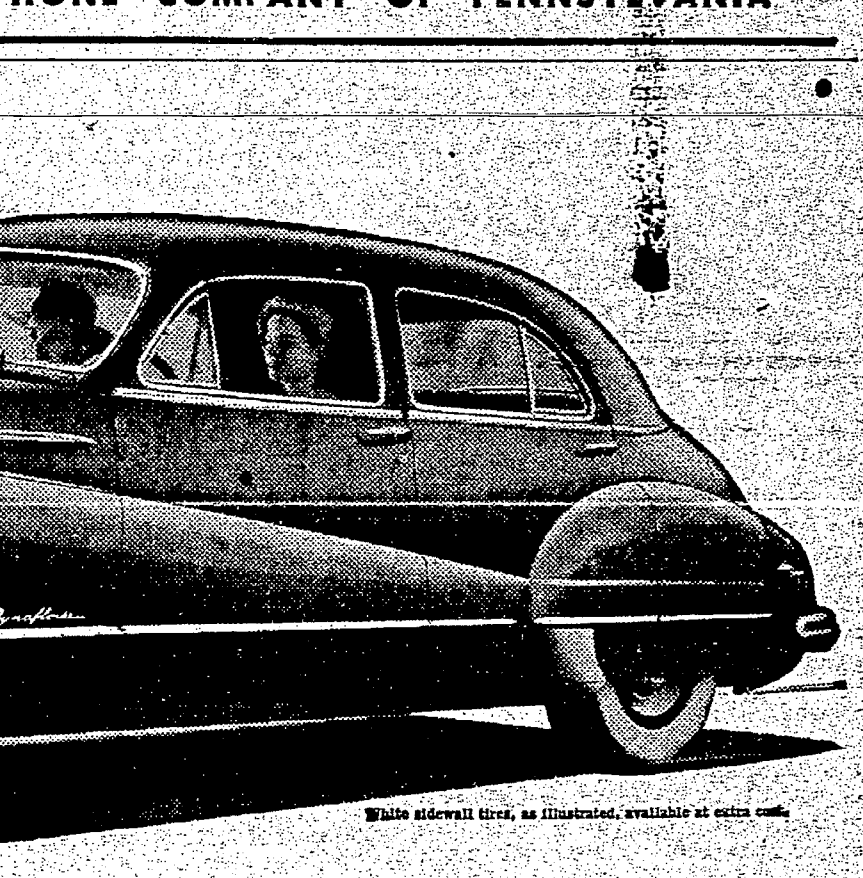
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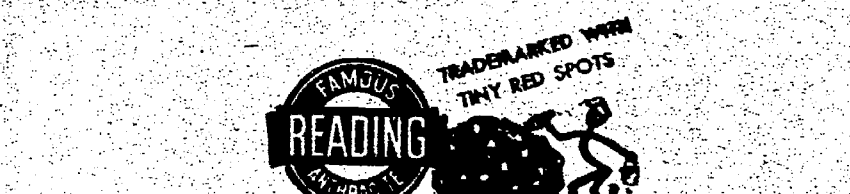
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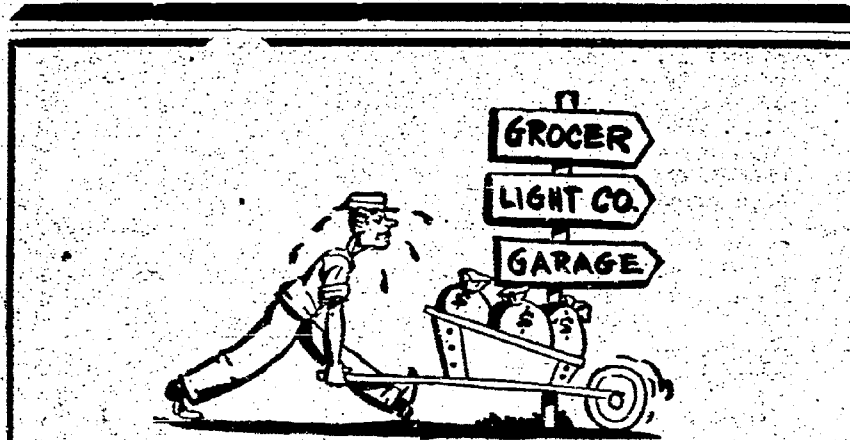
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**How inexpressible is the meanness of being a hypocrite! How horrible is it to be a mischievous and malignant hypocrite.**—Voltaire.

**It's Your Child**  
WHO loses when Pottstown's bicycle ordinance goes unenforced, month after month?

Your children do, the youngsters who hand out their few pennies for a license, in return for the protection they don't get.

After months of talk through council finally approved, a bicycle law, to become effective the beginning of this year.

Then what happened?

This carefully-drawn ordinance, outlining safety measures for bicyclists and rigid standards for their vehicles, lay collecting dust in borough hall.

What was Chief James A. Laughhead waiting for?

His excuse was the non-arrival of safety booklets, that showed the youngsters pictorially just what to do and what not to do while riding their bicycles.

These booklets are printed by the millions. They could have been here in time. But they were held up while pictures of Laughhead and of Burgess William A. Griffith were printed in them.

Personal vanity accounted for this month-long delay.

Finally, Laughhead decided to go ahead and issue booklets—but he hadn't ordered enough of them. More delays, and increasing contempt for the ordinance and the police force.

Then, when everyone who needed a license could get one, orders still were not given to all policemen to enforce the ordinance.

Sgt. Daniel J. Linton told the night force to watch out for violators.

But the patrolmen who work during the day were not told by Laughhead to protect Pottstown's young bicyclists.

Some of them acted on their own initiative, but the central discipline, the firm administration needed by a modern police force, was lacking, as it has been for years.

The unconcerned attitude of Chief Laughhead toward the bicycle ordinance is only one example of his maladministration.

Pottstown will never have an efficient, up-to-date police force until the inefficiency, indifference and incompetence at the top is removed.

**Girls Are In Demand**  
STAY away from "glamorous" jobs, is the warning issued by the women's bureau of the federal government in a discussion of jobs for girls that have just been graduated from the many high schools and colleges. And the bureau concludes that the girls who are out seeking a job for the first time will likely find one without much trouble.

The women's bureau joins most other employment authorities in warning girls to avoid the "glamor field" unless they are exceptionally gifted and thoroughly trained. It is pointed out that in the entire nation less than 5000 women are employed as actresses, photographers or radio commentators, all in the glamor class.

Girls are urged to start with a job suited to their abilities and education and build from this foundation, taking into consideration whether their job is a well-established occupation for women. Girls close to job opportunities have their choice of jobs and an excellent chance to pick the work they want.

Today, business is at a very high level and there is more work to be done and more jobs to be filled. Likewise, the marriage rate has soared and women are leaving jobs via the marriage route at a rate never before equaled.

According to the women's bureau, employers are reporting all too few 17-year-olds as eligible for jobs, and the story back of this shortage is interesting. Back in 1930 the nation's marriage rate dropped to its lowest point and as a result there's not enough 17-year-olds to go around. And not until 1952 will the proportion of 17-year-olds to the total population begin to move upward.

Therefore, in most parts of the country, there will be jobs open to competent young women, the final advice being that girls should get ready for both home and a job, and not try to choose between a marriage and a career.

**Clark to Expose Reds**  
ATTORNEY GENERAL TOM CLARK has a ready for release another long list of subversive groups.

Compiled more than a month ago, the list, many observers think, will be published at a time to produce the most favorable political reaction for the Democrats.

**Grampaw Oakley**  
FUNKIN CORNERS, July 11.  
De-Sir 'n' Brother:  
Wal, I see by the papers where Joe Louis is to make political speeches. He'll be in there swinging that old punch-line.

Headline says: "Fans Razz Indian Manager." Apparently some of those Cleveland bleacherites spell it Lou Boodeau.

And say: Unlike a good many ailments which get their start from various bodily weaknesses, poison ivy starts from scratch.

Hopin' you air the same.

GRAMPAW KED OAKLEY

**YOUR HEALTH**  
By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M. D.

TIME after time I have stressed the value of good nutrition—the importance to health of all the vitamins, minerals, right kinds of proteins, and other food elements found in a well-balanced diet. Thus, nothing is more important in the treatment of any patient than keeping up his nutrition.

Protein, essential in health for the repair of worn-out tissues and for tissue growth, is demanded in illness because it speeds up the healing of tissue damaged by injury or disease. Vitamin C is also necessary for wound healing and scar tissue formation.

Because of these facts, Dr. Ralph W. Trimble and Dr. Clayton J. Lundy made a study of over 500 patients during a six-year period. From this group, 123 patients were selected who had heart disease. About one-fifth were suffering from coronary thrombosis, a condition in which blocking of the flow of blood through the coronary arteries results in damage to tissue of the heart itself.

The painstaking study of these patients indicated a determination of the amount of protein in the blood, as well as the amount of vitamin C present. It is interesting to note that about one-fourth of the patients who had heart disease, due to some condition other than coronary thrombosis, had a deficiency of both vitamin C and protein in the blood, while two-thirds of those with coronary thrombosis showed low blood levels of these important food substances. Thus, many patients with heart disease seem to suffer from a nutritional deficiency, and it might even be concluded that improper nutrition plays some role in producing heart trouble.

Protein is supplied by such foods as meat, milk, and eggs, as well as whole-grain cereals. Vitamin C is supplied principally by citrus fruits and tomatoes. Of course, it is possible to get vitamin C in a concentrated form, that is, tablets of ascorbic acid.

It would seem important in cases of heart disease that an effort be made to supply the patients with large amounts of the right kind of protein in the diet and that vitamin C also be administered.

Of course, all other necessary food parts should be supplied by giving a well-balanced diet. The physician will determine just what diet should be followed. In some instances, it might be necessary to supplement natural foods by giving protein hydrolysates which are mixtures of amino acids made from proteins.

**READERS SAY:**  
**Cyclists' Right to Live; Block in Housing Path**

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By MERCURY READERS

**A Lesson From Boy's Death**  
To the Editor: This is no time for bickering, for petty feuding between members of borough council's police committee, the burgess and the civil service commission.

This is no time for political wrangling over who's to give who the promotion to sergeant on the police force.

This is no time for shrouding the real problem with a cloak of complacency.

One of our neighborhood boys died the other day. We all knew Floyd Overholtzer because he delivered our papers. He was a nice sort of boy—ambitious, too. But he died because he didn't know the rules of safety on his bicycle—didn't have a chance to learn them, that is.

Floyd's gone now. But there are other boys just like him. They want to live—live the right way, under the laws set up for their own protection. So—

Let's give them a chance by putting a man at the head of our police department who has a conscience—and a heart.

Let's not let the blood of any more bicyclists stain our streets merely because too much time is spent in petty bickering and wrangling, not enough time in doing the job at hand.

Let's get real leadership at the head of a safety program so that boys like Floyd won't have to die for the sins now being committed upon us.

Pottstown MRS. R. C.

**Real Estate Lobby at Work**  
To the Editor: Congratulations on your fine editorial "The Way Is Clear." It is true that Pottstown is desperately in need of low cost housing—but before we can get it, we must break the real estate lobby now in power.

There are three big contractors holding down borough positions right now—contractors whose own self-interest is strong enough to make them block any effort to obtain a housing project for Pottstown.

While they can get the high prices they demand for their homes they certainly won't approve any project giving the poor a break. No, they will collude with the bankers to shackle buyers with high mortgages—and then dispossess the poor suckers when they can't meet their payments.

If anyone doubts that these public-spirited citizens do not seek their own interests, let them consider this fact. While other contractors cry for streets, sewers and water mains, these boys have no trouble at all. Of course, it couldn't be because they are well represented on the highway, sanitary, and water committees. Or could it?

Let's throw the rascals out and get some action on low cost housing.

Pottstown SHACK DWELLER

**Dissenter on Wentzel Case**  
To the Editor: I suppose our dear Chief of Police James A. Laughhead and the rest of the police force who took part in it are glowing over their "victory" in the Wentzel case. It must be nice to be without a conscience.

Chief Justice Maxey certainly rang the bell when he noted the fact that Wentzel did not write some of the statements the police introduced as evidence. And, that they "neglected" to tell him he should have counsel to protect his interests.

Apparently the Constitution means nothing to our upholders of law and order when they have to have a scapegoat to save their own faces in an investigation.

If the police should ever pick anyone up—even for a parking ticket—I have only one suggestion. If you have to make eight statements, make sure they all say the same thing—"I WANT A LAWYER!"

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**WASHINGTON**  
**Wallace Loses Strength; Democrats Encouraged**  
By RAY TUCKER

PHILADELPHIA, July 11 — The only bit of good cheer the Democratic leaders have heard since their arrival in Philadelphia, which is not a City of Brotherly Love at the moment, is that Henry A. Wallace's strength is slipping away steadily.

Even from his supposed strongholds, New York, Illinois and California, word comes that he is on a steep downgrade.

Such a seer as James A. Farley recently estimated that the Iowan would roll up 8,000,000 votes, while some placed the figure at 10,000,000. But these latest polls indicate that he will be lucky if he hits 4,000,000, possibly less.

The significance of this total lies in the fact that the insurgent ticket of La Follette and Wheeler in 1924, when there were only about half as many voters as will cast ballots next November, got almost 5,000,000 votes.

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**FAVOR:** Inasmuch as the former cabinet member was expected to score his greatest gains among Democratic elements—labor, liberals, racial groups—any decline in his support should naturally favor the "ins." And at the moment President Truman's scouts here are grasping at the slenderest of straws.

Governor Dewey's friends, for instance, figured during the GOP convention that Wallace would get at least 750,000 votes in New York State, perhaps 1,000,000. Such a total would insure that New York's electoral count of 47 would be registered in the Republican column.

They probably will be recorded for the Dewey-Warren ticket, anyway, but the latest canvass suggests that the Empire State race may be closer than expected a few weeks ago.

**BATTLEGROUND:** Gov. Earl Warren has said that Wallace would receive about 500,000 votes from the "Okies," the ham-and-eggsters and other radical fringes in California. Next to New York, the Iowan's managers have counted on the coastal commonwealth as their banner state.

Since Franklin D. Roosevelt won here by only 475,000 in 1944, such a showing by the third party candidate, together with Mr. Warren's popularity, would guarantee a GOP triumph here. Now, despite Mr. Warren's presence on the ticket, the Democrats still rate California as a battleground because of the Roosevelt popularity there and the Wallace blow-up.

In Illinois the Wallace strength was originally placed at from 300,000 to 250,000, more than enough to overcome Roosevelt pluralities in this territory. But should the Iowan's army fall off to 50,000 or 75,000 as the new check indicates, the Republicans might not have the walkaway they anticipated.

**BAR:** The Wallace retrogression is not due entirely to the fact that his Kremlin pals have done him wrong by precipitating the Berlin crisis and by threatening to drive the Allies out of the German Capital if it takes all Winter.

It stems largely from the not so curious fact that since the La Follette-Wheeler uprising of 1924, state legislatures have rewritten their election laws so as to bar interlopers from getting on the ballot.

As of today, it is doubtful if Wallace's name can be presented to the voters of more than eight states, or fewer than 2, R. in 1912 and La Follette in 1924 were able to board.

**DISCRIMINATORY:** Another victim of the regular, political legislators' blacklist is Norman Thomas, the Socialist presidential nominee. The brilliant and delightful Norman, who is reporting both conventions for the Denver Post, got almost 1,000,000 votes in the depression year of 1932. It is doubtful if he will get half that many next November, but he is philosophical about his dim prospects.

"Wallace won't hurt me" he says, "because he has sharpened the issue as between Communists and Socialists. Like the Socialists in Europe, we are the Reds' worst enemy in this country."

"My difficulty is that I cannot get on the ballot in this democratic country. I am also a victim of Civil Rights discrimination."

Then, apparently thinking of the Roosevelt-Truman crusade for civil liberties, he went on:

"And the irony is that these discriminatory election laws were mostly enacted by so-called liberal lawmakers and upheld by judges appointed by New Dealers at Washington. Ah! Well!"

**FAILING:** These reports on a Wallace slump, together with confidential word of the third party candidate's recent fit of physical weariness and mental dejection, have inspired certain Democratic strategists with a bright idea. It is for this reason alone that they are encouraged by news of his failing strength.

They believe that they may still persuade him to withdraw from the contest in favor of President Truman. They have noted that he has not been particularly bitter against the Administration in recent diatribes, reserving his shafts for the Republicans.

While even a Wallace withdrawal would hardly elect Mr. Truman or any other Democrat, in view of the w-e-want-Eisenhower fixation and its repercussions in the wings, it might make for a more even struggle. And as of today, both the President's friends and enemies in the party simply seek a showing sufficient to give the Democrats a reason for being around in 1952 and thereafter.

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THE ANSWER, QUICK!

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2. Who was the first president of the Czechoslovak republic?
3. What college does Capt. Milford McAfee Horton, formerly of the Women's Reserve of the U. S. N. R. (Waves), head?
4. Which are the three largest cities of the United States?
5. What is the oldest public park in the United States?



**JOBS UPON A TIME**  
Great Britain's Prime Minister Clement Attlee, leader of the Socialist Labor party, was born in Putney, son of a Tory lawyer. Attlee attended one of England's more exclusive public schools and at 22 was a lawyer and a Conservative. A visit to London's East End slums opened his eyes to social problems, and he was converted to socialism. Later Attlee became secretary to Tynbee Hall, a pioneer social settlement. Attlee served in World War I as a major, and acquired a medal as well as severe wounds. He became undersecretary for war in the first Labor government in 1924, and was leader of the opposition in the House of Commons by 1935. The Attlees have three daughters and a son.

Radio's Hans Conreid, who averages 10 programs a week, in as many different impersonations, once had a job working as a punching bag demonstrator in a Hollywood department store, but the theater has always been his first love, inherited from his father who was a Viennese actor. Born in Baltimore, Hans attended Columbia University, where he played with a repertory theater in Shakespearean roles. He broke into radio through his excellence in the Shakespearean theater. Hans served in World War II on the United States Army Tank Corps, and after the war, helped set up three radio stations on Tokyo and Korea.

**MODERN MANNERS**  
It is an unparadise breach of manners to make a date with one person and then call it off because someone more interesting invites you.

**IT HAPPENED TODAY**  
On this date 1938, Howard Hughes flew around the world in three days, 19 hours and 14 minutes, a record at that time. Gaius Julius Caesar was born on July 12, in 44 B.C.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**  
Greetings for happy birthdays to Oscar Hammerstein II, playwright; Kirsten Flagstad, Norwegian Wagnerian singer; Milton Berle, stage, screen and radio actor; Jean Hersholt, film and radio actor, and Paul Runyon, star golfer.

**HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?**  
1. Harvard, Yale and William and Mary.  
2. Dr. Thomas C. Masaryk, from 1918 to 1935.  
3. Wellesley.  
4. New York, Chicago and Philadelphia.  
5. Boston Common, Boston.

**Pottstown Sketches** By PHILLIPS

**In Retrospect**  
50 Years Ago  
July 12, 1898

**WANT POST OFFICE** — One hundred residents of Gablesville have signed a petition asking for a post office. They say that at the present time they must go to Boyertown for their mail.

**BAN SCHOOL BUILDING** — A new school building for Mauger's Mill is taboed by the Upper Pottsgrove township school board. A seven-month school term with teachers salaries fixed at \$35 per month was decided upon. The following were elected teachers: William Y. Scheffey, Esther Moser, Anna Nagle, Frank Van Buskirk and Aaron G. Krause.

**FISHERMEN'S LUCK** — Worthington S. Klink, William B. Fryer, John Weiler and Warren Mauger fished in Sanatoga park lake and hooked a number of good-sized fish.

**25 Years Ago**  
July 12, 1923

**STRANGE BEETLE** — Mrs. Lewis Buchert, 767 North Charlotte street, brought to The News office a strange bug which she thought was a Japanese beetle. It proved to be another kind of bug. This species is awaiting arrival of the Jap species.

**FIRST DONATION** — The first donation to the Ellis Woods Memorial association was made by the foundry and core departments employees of the Light Manufacturing company.

**BUYS PROPERTY** — Sam Tabac, of Norristown, has purchased from Frank Still the property at the northeast corner of Beech and Charlotte streets.

**10 Years Ago**  
July 12, 1938

**WATER COMPANY** — Engineer Craig estimated that the borough would net \$24,201 annually from its operation of the Pottstown Gas and Water company plant, with an annual gross income of \$120,559. Counsel for the company claimed the company might ask \$1,823,776 for its holdings. The PUC is holding a hearing in Philadelphia on the issue.

**LIGHTNING STRIKES** — A bolt of lightning struck the steeple of the First Baptist church, causing damage to masonry. Lightning also struck a barn of Harry Nagle, near Schuylville. The structure was destroyed by fire, together with two horses, two heifers, 50 chickens, a calf, an automobile and crops.

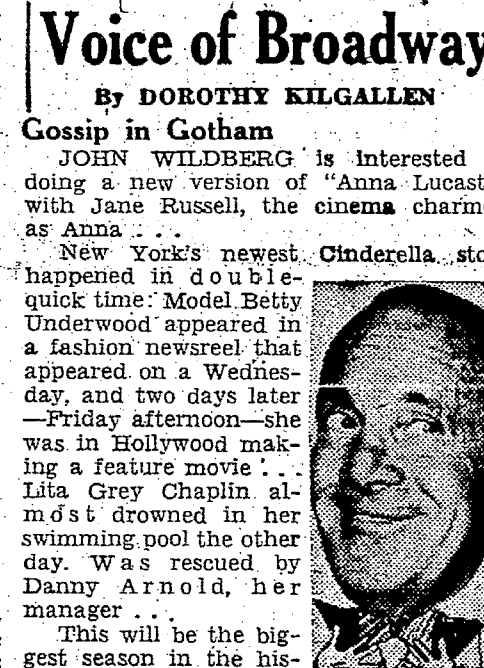
**Voice of Broadway**  
By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

**Gossip in Gotham**  
JOHN WILDBERG is interested in doing a new version of "Anna Lucasta" with Jane Russell, the cinema charmer, as Anna.

New York's newest Cinderella story happened in double quick time: Model Betty Underwood appeared in a fashion newsworld that appeared on a Wednesday, and two days later—Friday afternoon—she was in Hollywood making a feature movie.

If Cary Chaplin, almost drowned in her swimming pool the other day, was rescued by Danny Arnold, her manager.

This will be the biggest season in the history of the Summer theater. More than 5000 thespians are touring the straw hat circuit. The Spivey Coolers (he's the hillbilly maestro) are knitting tiny garments. Al Jolson is trying to re-purchase the Encino home in which he lived with Ruby Keeler during the early years of their marriage. If he succeeds, he and his bride and newly-adopted baby will live there. (And he'll have more material for the second section of his screen biography!)



**BOX OFFICE** prices at the movie houses are about to "level off" because of the exceptional slump in business. Sono Osato, the ballerina, is recuperating after an appendectomy.

Intimates are worried about the state of playwright Eugene O'Neill's health. If anybody wants to bet on the Spivey Coolers' fight again in September—don't bet. Joel McCrea is wearing pancake on his nose—got scratched up when he fell off his bicycle. The current divorce suit of the Albert Poindexters is titillating the West coast. (He wrote "Pistol Packin' Mama" under the name of Al Dexter.)

**WHEN CAROLE** Landis and Horace Schimpf had a honeymoon quarters at the Carlton House here, the only incongruous note in their lush living room was a silly, brightly-painted "worry bird" which kept dipping his beak into a glass of water. Carole explained that the bird "does all my worrying for me." Perhaps she forgot to take it with her when she moved.

Incidentally, many of the outstanding bills that were worrying Carole had been incurred during the Schimpfs' marriage, and the recent dunning came as a shock to her—she had assumed that Horace had paid them long since.

The Landis tragedy should precipitate a strict clamping down on sleeping pill peddling in Hollywood.

Some of the foremost stars in the industry have suffered serious illnesses and nervous strains which brought about domestic unhappiness and divorce because of the addiction to barbiturates. All because a few name-dropping doctors would rather risk their famous clients' health than deny them the drugs.

Right now, three top Hollywood glamour girls "live" on sleeping pills.

**TOPS IN TOWN:** Dorothy Lamour's bouncy new disc, "Sweetie-Pie" . . . Milt Gross' new sports tome, "Yankee Doodles" . . . The King Odom Quartet doing "Barn Street" and the Ruben Blue . . . Ina Ray Hutton's dynamics at the Latin Quarter . . .

Filet mignon with wine sauce, a specialty at Hutton's . . . The Hartmans' new Honey Bear Dance in "Angel in the Wings"—named after Governor Warren's pixie daughter . . . Claude Thornhill's Columbia disc, "Anthropology"—good bebop . . . Dr. Solomon Goldman's interesting new study of the Bible's effect on literature—"The Book of Books."

**ALL AROUND THE TOWN.**  
**Your Deadly Enemy...**  
**Swat Him Now...**

**ENEMY** — As soon as you see a fly, swat him! Get the DDT bomb out and give him a deadly shot. He's your enemy. He's out to get you. Each of the fly's six feet is equipped with two little pads underneath. These have pores through which a sticky substance oozes and that stuff enables the fly to walk on slippery surfaces. The legs and feet of a fly are covered with an array of bristles, too. These serve as additional catchers of filth in which the fly delights to wade and then proceeds to walk around on your butter or your pie or your baby's nursing bottle. The fly often grooms itself by rubbing its legs together and then licking those legs in cat fashion. They may clean its feet but the germ-swarming stuff goes to its stomach. As a bacteria spreader, the fly can hardly be improved upon . . .

**THE COMMON** housefly can't bite. The flies that bite are the stable fly or the horn fly. There's a notable feature of a fly's head and that is its many-faceted, compound eyes. Under a strong magnifying glass, the surface of a fly's eyes seem like honeycomb and each eye is made up of hundreds of six-sided prisms tapering to narrow points at their inner ends where the sight nerves are inserted, each with its individual lens at the outer end. What the fly sees through these eyes, you'll have to ask him about, but it's probably the most tremendous field of vision we have in all life form today. Obviously, when you go to swat the fly, it can see in front, to the side and even behind. That's why they like to stay on the ceiling or hang on suspended objects. From the ceiling, too, the fly has a choice of flight directions . . .

**THE FLY** gets its name because of its superior ability to do just that: fly. And its one of the most efficient flying machines in the world, far superior to birds or even bats. Man's most agile airplane is clumsy when you compare it with a fly. A plane can turn itself upside down and even cruise along that way, but what plane can land upside down on a ceiling and stay there? A fly can do that without any teaching. As for quickness of take-off, dodging and ducking, you need only to swing a fly swatter to get some idea of the fly in those departments. The fly's landing gear—its six legs—presents a more intricate appearance than its wings, though, like flying machines, it uses the landing gear but little in getting about. It doesn't have to taxi down to the end of an air strip for a take-off. It simply squats down a little, hops up and is off. It's like a helicopter in that respect and then more like a fighter plane in complete maneuver ability . . .

**IN FIGHTING** the insect pest, DDT is now the best weapon against flies, but after you use one of those mist bombs be sure to leave the room for at least an hour after you've used the spray. The five-percent solution should be sprayed on ceilings and upper parts of the walls and also on screen doors and windows. When a fly walks on the invisible DDT crystals, in an hour it becomes paralyzed and dies. The residual spray of DDT remains capable of killing flies for as long as four months after the spraying is done. Whatever system you use, be sure you use it effectively because the house fly is vicious and dangerous.

**The Worry Clinic**  
By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

WILLIAM JAMES, America's great pioneer psychologist at the opening of this century, was once asked why his family was so preeminent in intellectual and scientific matters.

Many of you readers of English literature are doubtless familiar with his brother Henry James, the novelist.

"Well," said William, "our parents encouraged free debate at the dinner table. If one of the boys made a statement, the others would challenge him, and a debate was then soon in progress."

"By this method we simply whetted our wits on each others."

**THERE IS** a great deal of truth to this story of putting a keen edge on our intelligence.

If, however, we develop in a sluggish mental environment where we have very little occasion to exercise our wits, we may become dull just by habit.

Parents should thus encourage daily intellectual exploration by their children. They should stimulate their youngsters with good literature and music, science, quiz games, and nature study.

Then their children will reach maturity with keener wits and a mental hunger for more knowledge.

Our intelligence, or "mental horsepower," as I prefer to call it, is not entirely fixed at birth. It does react favorably to exercise. So it behooves parents to whet their growing children's wits every day.

Instead of living solely at the level of our belly or our heart, as Aristotle so urgently warned us, we should endeavor to live on the plane of our head, and let our brain be ruler over our emotions and sensuous appetites.

This doesn't mean we should try to "rite" or "highbat" our less educated neighbors. Nor does it necessitate our being wealthy in order to afford books and travel.

The best art professor in the world is still living today. He is old Professor Nature. DaVinci and Michelangelo are pikers compared to Professor Nature.

The people who really become educated are those who learn to be their own professors. Lincoln and Edison and Ford are three good examples.

The specimens for botany and biology are all around every farm boy, for the woods and fields are full of birds and flowers.

And even in the dime stores today, you can procure beautiful little books on such subjects, filled with colored pictures of plants and animals, birds and insects.

You can also become a well educated person just by reading this newspaper more fully from day to day.

It is really a college course in itself. So train yourself to study people, and to whet your wits everyday. Make your home not only a happy place, but also a spot where your children sharpen their wits.



### Excursion Train Halts Twice Despite 'Non-Stop' Billing

A non-stop Diesel-powered express train passed through Boyertown yesterday at 2:45 p. m.

Almost non-stop, that is. And for critical railfans, it might be well to point out that the locomotive was number 63, the Diesel switcher which has throbbed its way into the hearts of Boyertown citizens each night, and not a gleaming multiple-unit Diesel streamliner.

The train, which meandered its way over the Colebrookdale branch as a part of a "rail ramble" sponsored by Reading Society of Model Engineers, actually wasn't "non-stop," either, since it made two stops in Boyertown.

It halted at the East Philadelphia avenue crossing twice, while a brakeman ran ahead to flag oncoming cars to a halt. But it ground right past the Boyertown station as though it were a whistle stop.

THE TWO-CAR TRAIN hauled model engineers who ranged in age from the proverbial six to 60, most of whom were armed with cameras and who found vantage points on steps, platforms and gangways better than the coach seats. The train's consist was a standard coach and a combination coach and baggage car, and since little baggage was carried, a luncheon was set up in the luggage compartment where passengers could buy refreshments.

The train left Pottstown at 2:20 p. m., after a trip from Reading which began at 10:20 a. m. It went to Barto where it turned around and then passed through Boyertown on its way back to Pottstown and Reading at 3:17 p. m.

What the train lacked in air-conditioned and reclining seat comfort was more than made up by the splashy tail sign it sported on its rear end, announcing that it was a Reading Company railfan trip.

### Lutheran Brotherhood Plans Picnic Thursday

Members of the Lutheran Brotherhood of St. John's Evangelical church will hold a picnic at Pine Waters near Lohachville Thursday night. Cars will leave the church at 6 p. m. In case of rain, the meeting will be held in the church at 8 p. m.

### Boyertown Classified

Deaths 1

EHSY - In Gilbertsville, on Saturday, July 10, 1948, Lydia A. Harpel, widow of the late Jacob M. Harpel, aged 89 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the residence in Gilbertsville on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Further services in St. Paul's Lutheran church, Sassafrasville. Interment in adjoining cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday evening 7 to 9. (Schwenk)

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### Bodies of Two Area War Dead Returned By Army From European Cemeteries

Among bodies of 16 men from Berks county who were killed in Europe during World War II returned to the United States aboard the Army transport Ogletown Victory were two from the Boyertown area.

They are Pfc. Irwin C. Kline, son of Herbert F. and Ella M. (Drey) Kline, of Bechtelsville; and S/Sgt. Raymond T. Weidner, next of kin listed as James T. R. Weidner, of Oley RD 1.

Pfc. Kline, a member of Company A, 101st Infantry, was wounded March 16, 1945, at Broddorf, Germany, and died the next day. At the time of his death he was 18 years old. He was born at Meritztown RD 1.

BEFORE BEING RETURNED to the United States, Pfc. Kline was buried in a cemetery at Luxembourg. Inducted through County Selective Service Board 1, with offices in American Legion home, North Reading avenue, on Aug. 4, 1944, Pfc. Kline was sent overseas in January 1945, following 16 weeks training at Camp Blanding, Fla.

He was awarded the expert rifleman badge. Before his induction, he was employed as a presser at Amity Manufacturing company, Inc., South Washington street.

He attended Bechtelsville grammar school and was a member of Huff's Lutheran church.

In addition to his parents, Pfc. Kline is survived by two brothers, Lloyd, of Bechtelsville, and Lee, at home, and four sisters: Lillian, wife of Lyman Hess, Boyertown; Arlene, wife of Albert Schmoeyer, East Greenville; and Pearl and Ruth, both at home. The paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kline, Frederickville, Alburtis RD 1, also survive.

THE DEAD SOLDIER'S father is a veteran of World War I, at which time he served in the United States Medical Corps. Lloyd, a brother, served in World War II in the Engineer Corps.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been announced. A funeral home at 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, has charge.

The body of Pfc. Robert R. Miller, a paratrooper with the 101st Airborne division who was killed on June 11, 1944, in the Normandy invasion, is scheduled to be brought to Boyertown at noon today from Philadelphia in a government funeral coach.

Funeral services will be conducted from the residence of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Miller, in Gilbertsville, on Sunday at 2 p. m., the Rev. David F. Longacre, pastor of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, officiating.

Military honors will be conducted by members of Charles B. Yergler Post 471, American Legion, and Boyertown Post 3487, Veterans of Foreign Wars. Burial will be made in Union cemetery, Boyertown.

Members of Boyertown Service Mothers, Wives and Sisters will conduct a service prior to the funeral service.

### Berks County Sportsmen To Meet in Boyertown

The Berks County Federation of Sportsmen's clubs will meet in Boyertown at the Boyertown Rod and Gun club house Aug. 11, it was announced at a recent meeting of the Boyertown club.

Pheasants were stocked in the area by Joseph Leindecker, district game protector. Albert B. Leidy, trap shooting chairman, presided in the absence of the president, James Petrowicz.

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### DEATHS-FUNERALS

LYDIA A. (HARPEL) EHST, 89, widow of the late Jacob M. Harpel, died the past Saturday night at her home in GILBERTSVILLE.

A lifelong resident of Douglass township, she was a daughter of the late Henry Y. and Rachel (Albrecht) Harpel, and was the last of her family. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Sassafrasville.

Two sons and one daughter survive. They are Henry, of Philadelphia; Lawrence, of East Greenville; and Katie, at home; also seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held from the residence in Gilbertsville Wednesday at 1:30 p. m., with further services in St. Paul's Lutheran church, Sassafrasville. The Rev. William L. Schaid will officiate. Interment will be made in the adjoining cemetery.

Funeral services for JAMES C. RHODES, of GILBERTSVILLE, were held Saturday at 2 p. m. from a funeral home at 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown. The Rev. David F. Longacre, pastor of church, officiated. Burial was made in Hill Church cemetery.

Bearers were William Lambert and Arthur Bahr, of Boyertown; Nest 22, Fraternal Order of Orioles, and Harry Shaner and George Schwenk, of Keystone Fire company.

### Pedestrian Struck By Car on Highway

Lyman Dilliplane, 74, of Boyertown RD 2, sustained multiple lacerations of the face, arms and legs when he was knocked down by a car Saturday night at 11:30 o'clock in Greshville.

The driver, Abner W. Mengel, Reading, said he was driving on Route 562, toward his home when the elderly man stepped across the highway into his car's path. Mengel said his view of the pedestrian was obscured by oncoming traffic.

Mengel offered to drive Dilliplane to the hospital, but neighbors on the scene called the Boyertown ambulance.

At Pottstown hospital, a deep cut over the bridge of his nose and his numerous other cuts were sutured and dressed. He then was discharged.

### 40 Boys, Girls Entered In Swimming Campaign

More than 40 boys and girls have registered for the YMCA movement's annual learn-to-swim classes which are scheduled to get under way today at 10 a. m. in the Boyertown Legion pool.

John Carhart, physical director of Central YMCA in Reading, will be class instructor. YMCA aquatic awards will be presented to all who complete achievement tests.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Croll, of LaCrosse, Wis., are visiting at the home of Croll's father, Claude A. Croll, 11 East Philadelphia avenue.

Mrs. Richard Houck, Boyer Towne inn, and her sister, Helen Johnson, of New Berlinville, returned from a visit with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Anderson, Newport, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. James Grim and daughter, Linda Lou, of Floral Park, N. Y., returned home recently after spending the past week at the home of Mrs. Grim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey K. Heacock, 609 East Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey K. Heacock, 609 East Fourth street, observe their 40th wedding anniversary yesterday.

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### Seeks Agreement



French Premier Robert Schuman (above) will be busy today. He and his cabinet will attempt to buy off a strike by proposing that \$100,000,000 be spent for wage increases for French workers.

### Youngster Honored At Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Burfete, 532 East Philadelphia avenue, entertained at a lawn party honoring the fifth birthday anniversary of their son, James Dennis, yesterday afternoon at their home.

Refreshments were served and games played. The guest of honor received many gifts. Present were Robert and Joseph Freese, Pottstown; Mildred Hartman, Syre Zerr, Gerald Cistrone, John Burfete Jr., Donna Jeanne Egolf, Jeanne Kochel, Keith Gilbert and Todd Hangen.

Also Mr. and Mrs. John E. Burfete, Mr. and Mrs. George Burfete, Boyertown; Mr. and Mrs. John J. Burfete, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cistrone and daughter, Anita, of Norristown; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Egolf, Kenhorst; Agnes Brauss and Helen Strauss, both of Pottstown; Mrs. Joseph Freese, Pottstown RD 3, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. James Burfete and their sons, David and Denny, who was the guest of honor.

### Collingdale Lecturer To Speak at Gospel Hall

James F. Spink, of Collingdale, will speak in Gospel Hall, East Fifth street, tomorrow at 8 p. m. and Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Spink, an internationally-known author, lecturer and world traveler, has just returned from a two-year stay in Ireland.

### CASTLE FOR RENT

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, Eng., July 11 (AP) - An 800-year-old Norman castle just outside Newcastle was advertised for rent today. The price: \$20 (\$200) a year, plus a \$200 (\$3200) fee for turning over the key.

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### OLEY VOTERS TO REGISTER

Registrars will be at Oley Fire company, Oley, today from 2 to 9 p. m. to register non-registered citizens for voting purposes.

### ZIEGLERVILLE

Miss May Markley, corr. Phone Schwenkville 2071, Warren Kratz, delivery.

Mrs. LeRoy Williams visited her father, Elmer Shaner of Norristown. Leon Gaugler was on a fishing trip to Slaughter's Beach, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Greaser and family attended the wedding of Miss Marie Kerr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr, of Harleysville, to Mr. Samuel Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts of Schwenkville in the Christ Lutheran church, Mainland.

Miss Ida Boyer is employed at the Woodside Manor, Schwenkville, for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Little entertained Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams and son, of Reading, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Tyson, of Kingston, visited their mother, Mrs. George Tyson over the weekend.

Mrs. Joseph Schell, who is employed at the courthouse, Norristown, is enjoying a week's vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ziegler of Salford, formerly of Zieglerville, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son the past week in Allentown General hospital.

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# Miss Sophie Lebon Becomes Summer Bride Of William Jacoby in Catholic Church

Miss Sophie Lebon, Pottstown RD 1, and Mr. William Jacoby, Coatesville, were united in marriage on Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock in St. John's Catholic Church of the Greek Rite, by the Rev. John D. Taplich, rector.

Miss Lebon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lebon, Pottstown RD 1, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tillie Jacoby, Coatesville.

The double ring ceremony was performed before an altar decorated with white gladiolas and palms, while music was provided by John Marocovich and his orchestra from Coatesville.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attired in a nylon gown fashioned from an army parachute given to her by her husband. The dress featured a sweetheart neckline, a bodice made of chantilly lace, long sleeves pointed at the wrists, a full skirt and a long train edged with a ruffle of chantilly lace. The veil was finger-tip length and was fastened to a crown of seed-pearls and silver beads.

HER BOUQUET was star shaped and consisted of white roses with a purple lipped orchid in the center.

Miss Mary Lebon, sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor in a yellow nylon marquisette gown styled with an illusion neckline with a ruffle across the shoulders, tiny puffed sleeves, fitted bodice and full skirt. She wore matching mitts and a halo of matching material and three red roses in her hair. Her bouquet consisted of red roses and carnations with colored ribbon streamers.

Other attendants of the bride were Miss Anna Kovach, Miss Helen Lebon, and Misses Doris and Dorothy Dray, nieces of the bridegroom of Coatesville. All wore gowns identical to that of the maid of honor in colors of nectar, aqua and light blue. Their headpieces and bouquets also matched.

BEST MAN for Mr. Jacoby was Mr. John Otop, Coatesville, while ushers were Mr. Michael Lebon, brother of the bride, and Mr. Steven Jacoby, brother of the bridegroom, of Coatesville.

The mother of the bride was attired in an orchid dress with black accessories and a white carnation corsage, while Mrs. Jacoby chose a blue and white print dress with black accessories and white carnation corsage.

Following the ceremony a breakfast for the bridal party was held at the home of the bride. Later in the day, a reception was held in St. Peter's hall for friends and relatives.

When the newlyweds left on an undisclosed honeymoon trip, Mrs. Jacoby wore a white crepe dress, white accessories and her bridal orchid.

Upon their return, they will reside at the home of the bridegroom's mother in Coatesville.

Guests attended from New York, Philadelphia, Bridgeport, Norristown, Phoenixville, Coatesville and Pottstown.

Mrs. Jacoby attended the North Coventry High school and is now employed at the Iris Knitting mills. Mr. Jacoby was graduated from the Coatesville High school prior to serving for three and one half years in the US Army air force, three years of which were spent in India. He is manager of a grocery store in Coatesville.

## Surprise Party Held For Anthony Helfrich

A surprise birthday party was held on the lawn of Mr. Ivan Kiefer, Geigertown, in honor of the anniversary of Mr. Anthony Helfrich, 386 North Hanover street, Saturday night.

A picnic supper was served and the evening spent playing games and talking.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kiefer and son; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Laver, Mrs. John Decker and daughter, Norma; Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kiefer, Mr. and Mrs. George Fleming, Miss Helen Laver, Mr. Donald Bramble, Miss Grace Laver, Miss Charlott Laver, Miss Anna Helfrich, Miss Eva Helfrich, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin F. Kiefer and Mr. and Mrs. Helfrich.



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## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ziebart, Limerick, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirtz, 47 East Third street, became the parents of a daughter yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

A son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Butterfield, Royersford, in Pottstown hospital.

Yesterday a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Kindervater, 901 Queen street, in Pottstown hospital.

## Housewarming Party Held For Joseph Guber Family

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Guber were entertained recently with a housewarming given in their new home, Bratton's Lane, Linfield, by a number of relatives and friends.

A picnic luncheon and dinner was served on the lawn to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Smoyer and children, Joan, Nancy and Benjamin Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Baronoff, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Guber, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Keim, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Keim and son, Joseph Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Keim and son, James; and Mrs. Teesle Baronoff, all of Linfield. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wyaski, Shenandoah; Miss Mary Guber, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brouse and daughter, Joan, Mahanoy City; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Putzing, Mr. Charles Guber, of New Jersey; Mr. Thomas Cowley, Stowe; Miss Helen Smoyer, Pottstown; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Anderson and daughter, Patsy, Royersford and Mr. and Mrs. Guber and their sons Joseph Jr. and Francis.

## Stuart Meloy Surprised With Birthday Party

In honor of his birthday anniversary, Mr. Stuart Meloy was pleasantly surprised with a party tendered him by his wife and children on the spacious lawn of the Meloy farm, Pottstown RD 4, Saturday night.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. James Meloy, Mr. and Mrs. John Meloy, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Meloy Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Yerger, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Meloy, Mr. and Mrs. Emil St. Onge, Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cline and daughter, Jean; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fry, Mr. and Mrs. John Saylor and son, Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Borneman, Miss Marion Robinson, Miss Mary Yost and Mr. and Mrs. George Schwenk.

## Henry Bailey Celebrates Third Birthday With Party

Henry Bailey Jr. was surprised with a lawn birthday party given by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bailey, at their home, 214 Chestnut street, Saturday. The occasion was his third birthday anniversary.

The lawn was gayly decorated with many showers of vari-colored crepe paper and balloons. The big attraction of the afternoon was the fishing pond from which the boys pulled plastic cars and the girls wrist watches.

A luncheon was served the small guests from a table decorated in blue and white, with a large birthday cake and a bouquet of Summer flowers forming the centerpiece.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bailey and children, Thomas and Carolyn; Mrs. Theodore Fischer and son, Jonathan; Miss Betty Jane Bailey, Mrs. Mazie Bailey, Mrs. Dorothy Laver, Margaret, June, Rudy and Anna May Laver, Mrs. Margaret Good, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Moser, Dolly Auman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bailey, Marie and Susie Bailey, the Rev. J. J. Kline and the guest of honor.

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## Rectory Ceremony Unites Edwin Nester And Alma P. Moyer

In the rectory of St. Aloysius' Catholic church, Miss Alma Patricia Moyer and Mr. Edwin Kirk Nester were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock by the Rev. George Hiller, assistant rector.

The double ring ceremony was solemnized in the presence of a small group of close friends and immediate relatives.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence M. Moyer, 610 Grant street, while Mr. Nester is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Nester, 879 Queen street.

GIVEN IN marriage by her father, the bride was beautiful in an old fashioned gown of white satin with tightly fitting bodice featuring a sweetheart neckline. The full sleeves tapered to a point just above the fingers. The huge bustle trailed down the back of the gown forming a wide ruffle around the bottom of the very full skirt. A long row of tiny satin buttons fastened the gown at the back. She wore a double strand of pearls, gift of the bridegroom.

Her finger tip double-tiered veil of illusion net was edged with chantilly lace and fell from a crown of seed pearls. She carried an old fashioned bouquet of white roses and carnations with streamers of baby's breath and for-get-me-nots attached.

HER SISTER, Miss Grace Moyer was the maid of honor, appearing in a gown of white with softly molded taffeta bodice attached to a very full skirt of net. The bodice featured a sweetheart neckline and cap sleeves with which she wore pink mitts and a pink headpiece of net. Her only jewelry was a string of pink pearls, a gift of the bride. She carried an old fashioned bouquet of pink carnations trimmed in blue.

Mr. Hubert Repko served as the best man.

The mother of the bride, Mrs. Moyer, appeared in a navy blue and white dress with white accessories, while the mother of the bridegroom was attired in a pink bemberg dress with brown and white accessories. Both wore corsages of pink carnations with baby's breath.

FOLLOWING A dinner served at the home of the bride's parents the couple started on a honeymoon which will be spent in the Pocono mountains. For traveling the bride chose a yellow linen suit trimmed in brown, with white eyelet lace. Upon their return they will reside at the home of the bride.

Guests attended the wedding from Philadelphia, Downingtown, Boyertown, Bechtelsville, New Berlinville, Norristown, Stowe and Pottstown.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Large and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Large, all of 561 Jefferson avenue, spent a few days in Atlantic City, N. J.

Richard Trythall, of Pottstown RD 2, left yesterday for a week's vacation in the Poconos.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Moser, 763 Willow street, who just returned from a two week's fishing trip in Maine, are spending a week at Lake Wallenpaupack, Pocono mountains, with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Heft and daughter, Barbara Ann, also of 763 Willow street.

Mrs. Phyllis Rebman, Maple Shade, N. J., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence T. Miller, Star Route, Pottstown, for a few days. She is also the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Sallie Wagner, 829 Beech street.

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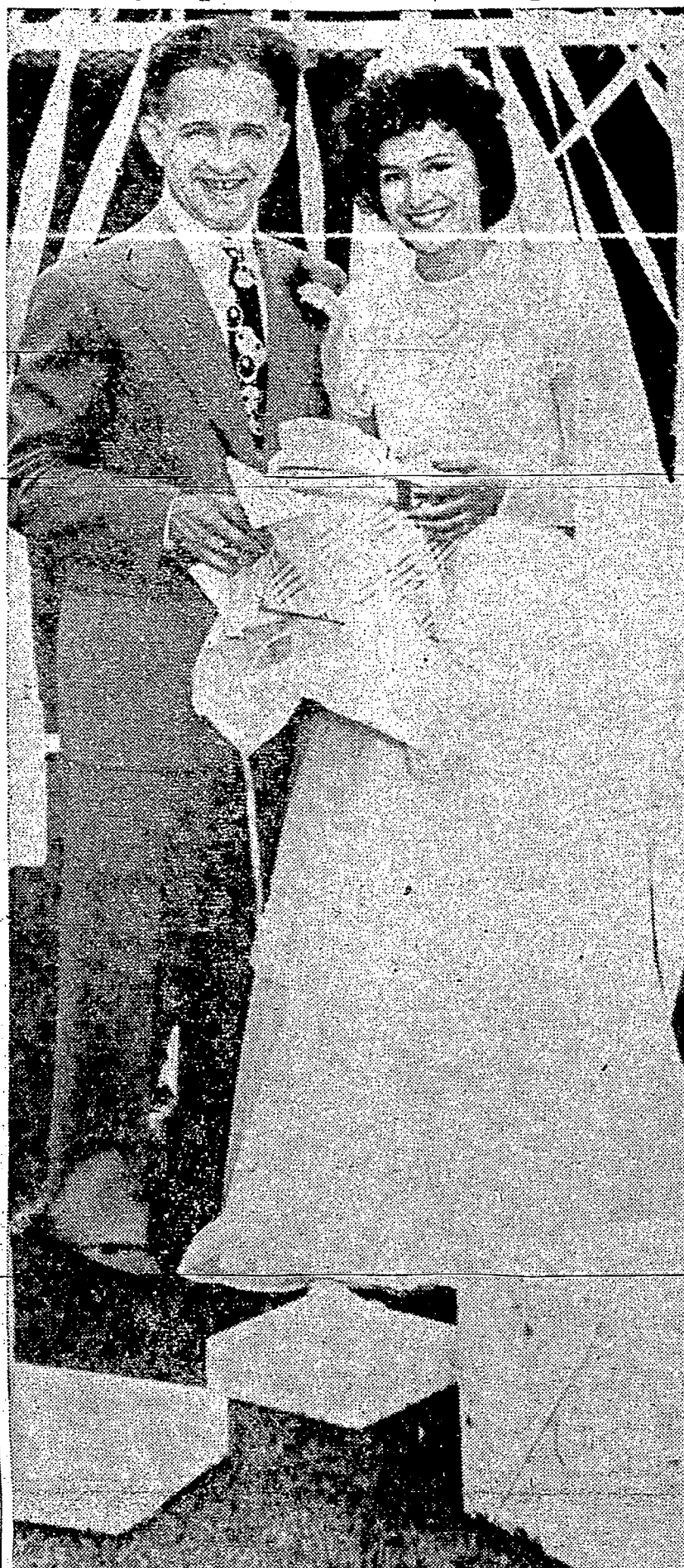
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# Woman's Page

CLUB NEWS

WEDDINGS

## They Open Their Wedding Gifts



Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Ertman, 812 Queen street, open the many gifts presented to them at a lawn reception which followed their wedding in the New Apostolic church, Reading. The lawn was covered with the prettily wrapped gifts which were tied to huge streamers of crepe paper which fell from a large wedding ring. Mrs. Ertman was the former Miss A. Kathryn Fleisch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fleisch, 848 Grant street, while her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Ertman, Gilbertsville.

## Social Calendar

Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the home of the president, Mrs. Mary Quinter, 322 Cherry street.

Ladies' Auxiliary of the Good Will Fire company—Ladies' Marching club practice tonight at 7 o'clock in the fire hall.

Navy Mothers—Meeting tonight at 7:45 o'clock in the Emmanuel Lutheran church. All members were urged to attend.

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## Family and Friends See Erma P. Thomas Become July Bride

The lovely wedding ceremony of Miss Erma Pauline Thomas and Mr. Wilmer N. Graber was witnessed by a large number of friends and relatives on Saturday afternoon in St. Mark's Lutheran church, Pottstown.

Miss Thomas is the daughter of Mr. Loren S. Thomas, Pottstown, while Mr. Graber is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graber, East Greenville RD.

The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Henry Kistler, pastor, before an altar decorated with carnations, cut flowers and palms. Mrs. Linwood Gensler, vocalist, presented several selections.

A white marquisette and lace gown featuring a sweetheart neckline, short puffed sleeves and a white lace bodice, was worn by the bride. Other features of the gown were a full marquisette skirt and train and white lace gloves forming a point over the hands. The finger-tip length veil fell from a crown of seed pearls.

The bridal bouquet consisted of white carnations centered with an orchid and streamers of baby's breath.

Miss Pauline Gardian, maid of honor, was gowned in a yellow marquisette dress trimmed with lace. She carried a bouquet of yellow carnations and blue delphiniums with streamers of baby's breath.

Best man for the bridegroom was Mr. Harold Thomas.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Red Hill fire-hall in Red Hill, after which the newlyweds left on a trip to Atlantic City, N. J.

When she left, Mrs. Graber was attired in a white eyelet dress with brown and white accessories. She wore an orchid corsage.

Upon their return, they will reside at the home of the bride's parents.

## Church Members Plan Picnic at Sunnybrook

Plans are completed for a picnic to be held by members of the St. James Lutheran church and Sunday school at Sunnybrook park on Saturday. Activities are scheduled to start at 2:30 o'clock with a complete schedule of athletic events, and contests for the boys, girls, and adults. All events will be under the supervision of Francis Donnon, with prizes awarded to the winners of the contests.

Included with the events on the program will be a tug-of-war for the men, a softball game between the youths and their fathers, a chicken race for the women and quoit pitching. Group singing will be enjoyed with free refreshments for the children.

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## Miss Mildred Virginia Huff Becomes Bride Of Mr. Paul Spencer in Lutheran Church

In the presence of a large number of friends, relatives and well-wishers, Miss Mildred Virginia Huff, 41 Boone court, Penn. Village, became the bride of Mr. Paul A. Spencer, 932 High street. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Huff, while the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Harry Spencer.

The double ring ceremony was performed in St. Peter's Lutheran church Saturday morning at 10 o'clock by the Rev. Kenneth Anderson, pastor.

Before the ceremony, appropriate organ bridal music was presented by Mrs. Harry Ellis.

GIVEN IN MARRIAGE by her father, the bride was charming in a traditional gown of white embroidered organza fashioned with an illusion neckline and long sleeves pointed at the wrists. The tightly fitted bodice was fastened in the back with tiny matching buttons and was attached to a very full skirt which swept out in back to form a long train. The back was trimmed with a large bustle.

She wore a headpiece of pearlized orange blossoms from which fell her fingertip veil of imported tulle. She carried a white covered prayerbook to which was attached a white orchid and a shower of white satin streamers intertwined with baby's breath.

Mrs. George Wright served her sister as matron of honor, wearing a gown of yellow taffeta designed with an off the shoulder neckline and tiny puffed sleeves. The very full skirt had a bustle back. She chose matching yellow mitts and carried a shower bouquet of white gardenias and yellow baby's breath.

APPEARING AS bridesmaids were Miss Marion J. Rupert and June A. Weis. Miss Rupert was gowned in white marquisette over pale orchid taffeta with an off the shoulder bertha collar of white eyelet cotton. A wide orchid taffeta sash formed a large bow bustle in the back. Miss Weis was gowned in a dress of identical design in white marquisette over pale green taffeta. Both wore short mitts of marquisette and head-dresses of feathered carnations and gardenias. Their flowers were shower bouquets of gardenias and baby's breath.

The mother of the bride chose a gray print dress with black accessories and wore a corsage of yellow

roses, while the mother of the bridegroom was attired in a flowered silk dress with black accessories and corsage of gardenias.

MR. JAMES MINGER, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, performed the duties of best man, while the ushers were the Messrs. Donald Schener and Kenneth Knipe.

A luncheon for the couple followed in the Cloverleaf restaurant. The couple is now on a honeymoon trip to Maine for a week. When the bride left the reception she was wearing a pink print dress with white accessories and the bridal orchid.

After July 26, they will be at home to their friends at 932 High street. Mrs. Spencer is employed at the Bethlehem Steel company, while Mr. Spencer is employed by The Pottstown Mercury.

## Circle Members Plan To Attend Board Meet In Valley Forge House

Several members of the Watchful circle of the Kings Daughters are planning to attend the morning and afternoon sessions of the board meetings of the association to be held in Holiday House, Valley Forge, Wednesday.

The morning session will be a meeting of the board members of Holiday House with Mrs. George Russell, vice president; Mrs. Fred Schlegel, Mrs. Joseph Conway and Mrs. George Strubhar, board members, attending.

The box luncheon, to be held at noon, will be followed by a meeting of the Montgomery County board of the Kings Daughters, with Mrs. Russell, president, presiding. Mrs. William Shaner is secretary.

Donations for the Holiday house will be accepted during the morning session. Members who are not planning to attend the meetings may still give their donations at 227 Beech street anytime today or tomorrow. The circle as a group donated \$50 to the house.

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# Mrs. Marge Trappe, Mr. John A. Straub United in Marriage

In Old Goshenhoppen Lutheran church, Mrs. Marge M. C. Trappe and Mr. John A. Straub were united in marriage by the Rev. Dr. Mark Owen Heller Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Trappe is the daughter of Mrs. Sally Harpel of Spring Mount while Mr. Straub, who resides at Spring Mount, is the son of Mrs. J. A. Straub of Philadelphia.

The single ring ceremony was performed in the presence of a small group of close relatives and intimate friends before an altar decorated with bouquets of mixed Summer flowers. During the ceremony Mr. Anthony Lane presented several vocal selections.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Leon Harpel, chose a gown of powder blue crepe with matching veil of tulle. She carried a shower bouquet of mixed flowers.

Serving as matron of honor was Mrs. Clarence M. Schirck, who chose a gown of aqua blue and carried a bouquet of roses. Bridesmaids were Miss Almira Straub and Miss Pearl Harpel, who appeared in long pink gowns and carried shower bouquets of pink roses.

Mr. Leon Smith, Norristown, performed the duties of best man while the ushers were the Messrs. Joseph Donely and Robert Leider.

Following a luncheon held at the home of the bridegroom the couple left for a honeymoon at the seashore. They will return on Sunday to reside on Main street, Spring Mount.

# HOSPITALS

**POTTSTOWN**  
Admitted: William Bell, 716 North Adams street, surgical; Emily Scheffey, Pottstown RD 4, surgical; Addie Irwin, 794 Littleton avenue, medical; Richard Spohn, Boyertown RD 1, surgical; Mrs. Mary Butterfield, Royersford, maternity; Mrs. Barbara Kurtz, 47 East Third street, maternity; Joie Stout, Pottstown RD 1, surgical; Mrs. Dorothy Kindervater, 901 Queen street, maternity; John Marshall, 465 North Franklin street, surgical; Loretta Coenig, 657 Water street, surgical; Mildred Lightcap, South Pottstown, surgical.


Discharged: Mrs. Ruth Bealer, 22 Walnut street, maternity; Clara Ludy, Penn Village, maternity; Emma Wahl, 835 North Charlotte street, medical; Marlene Weidenbaugh, Linfield, surgical; Louis J. Krub, Douglassville RD 1, surgical; Stella Richards, 780 North Adams street, surgical; Mrs. Elaine Stanford, 732 Beech street, maternity; Mrs. Ruth Cunningham, 222 Diamond street, maternity; Mrs. Evelyn Hall, Boyertown, maternity; Mrs. Doris Hohl, 28 East Second street, maternity; Mrs. Winifred Levan, 264 Manatawny street, maternity; Laura Slifer, Royersford, maternity; Edna Yergey, 616 North Charlotte street, surgical; Elizabeth Lender, 254 Manatawny street, surgical; Frances Gauger, 411 Manatawny street, surgical; Florence Jameson, 70 Manatawny street, surgical; Robert Heffner, 246 Walnut street, medical; Margaret Schaeffer, Boyertown RD 2, surgical; George Snyder, Pottstown RD 1, surgical; William Bell, 716 North Adams street, surgical.

Admitted and discharged: Carlene Tuscal, 76 North York street, surgical; Clara Freigh, Pottstown RD 1, medical.

**MEMORIAL**  
Admitted: Clara Snell, 602 High street, medical; Mrs. Esther Ziebart, Linthicum, maternity; Mrs. Addie Wack, Delphi, medical; Mrs. Mary Brillo, 213 South Hanover street, medical; Mrs. Beatrice White, 649 Water street, surgical; James P. Langan, Stowe, surgical.

Discharged: Mrs. Kathryn Mun-

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# OBITUARIES

**J. WALTER HARTENSTINE**, 74, husband of Bertha A. (Allison) Hartenstine, **GLEN MOORE RD.**, East Nantmeal township, died in his home yesterday afternoon following a heart attack.

Death came to him in the house in which he resided as a farmer nearly all his life. A member of the Baptist denomination, he was born in Warwick, Chester county, a son of the late Thomas K. and Hannah M. Sands. His parents were also born in the same vicinity.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, Carl, 10 East Sixth street, and Thomas K., Elverson; one daughter, Mrs. Marian H. Donache, West Chester; two sisters, Jennie, wife of F. Thompson, 308 Kimberton, and Mrs. Mae Gaston, Elverson, four grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

Services will be held from a funeral home on Main street, Elverson, on Thursday at the convenience of the family. Dr. A. B. Davidson, pastor of the Elverson Methodist church will officiate.

Interment will be made in Fairview Presbyterian cemetery, near Elverson.

**ELSIE (YERGER) HARRIS**, 57, of NORRISTOWN, a Pottstown native and former officer in Pottstown women's groups, died Saturday morning at her home.

A daughter of the late Daniel M. and Kate (Bechtel) Yerger, she living in Pottstown until about 35 years ago. Her husband is William W. Harris.

Mrs. Harris was past president of Pottstown Sisterhood 271, Dames of Malta, and was a member of the Pottstown Lady Reindeer and Protector's Association 1, Dames of Malta, Reading.

Surviving are her husband and six brothers: David Yerger, of 43 Walnut street; Ralph Yerger, of 312 North Charlotte street; Ezra Yerger, of 1233 Queen street; Arthur Yerger, of 384 Beech street; William

Yerger, South Pottstown, and Howard, of New York City.

Also surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Mary Wentzel, Philadelphia; Ida, wife of Samuel Shirey, 931 Walnut street, and Mrs. Joseph Smoyer, 618 Beech street.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 466 North Franklin street. Officiating will be the Rev. Donald T. Floyd, pastor of Trinity Evangelical Congregational church.

Interment will be made in Edgewood cemetery.

Funeral services for **WILLIAM F. KRAUSE**, husband of Annie (Hoffman) Krause, of 328 WALNUT STREET, will be held Wednesday at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 112 North Washington street.

Officiating will be the Rev. Luther A. Krouse, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran church. Interment will be made in East Coventry Mennonite cemetery.

Funeral services for **WILLIAM J. SMITH**, 19, of 19 WEST SIXTH STREET, who died from injuries sustained in a diving accident at Ocean City, N. J., were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Attending the services from a funeral home at 466 North Franklin street were more than 200 people, mostly young friends of the former center on the Pottstown high school football team.

Officiating was the Rev. Delaine E. Story, pastor of First Baptist church, and interment was made in Edgewood cemetery.

Bearers were six members of the Ellis Rangers Athletic club: Robert Breuninger, Richard Bechtel, Elmer Panco, James Tassone, George Powell, Robert Mauger, Jack Ellicker and Robert Ellicker.

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**Sgt. Bellini Given Military Service**

Funeral services for Sgt. Anthony P. Bellini, a son of Gabriel and the late Evelyn (DeSimone) Bellini, of Douglassville RD 1, were held Saturday morning at 11 o'clock in St. Gabriel's Catholic church, Stowe.

Solemn requiem mass was celebrated by the Rev. Francis Suchanek, rector. Deacon was the Rev. John Naja, rector of St. Peter's Catholic church, and sub-deacon was the Rev. Charles Stelmach, assistant rector at St. Peter's Catholic church.

Full military rites were accorded by Birdsboro Post 626, American Legion. Sergeant Bellini's body was returned to this country recently.

Interment was made in Immaculate Conception cemetery, Birdsboro. Bearers were six members of Post 626: Jacob K. Shaner, Russell Schaf-

**ZIONISM ATTACKED**

BAGHDAD, Iraq, July 11 (AP)—A new bill has been presented to the Iraqi house of representatives making Zionism, along with anarchism, Nazism, Communism and atheism, a subversive and criminal creed.

It is estimated that the bed of the Mississippi river is being lowered at an average rate of one foot every 5,000 years.

**About 3000 Attend Picnic Of Two Sunday Schools**

A crowd estimated at 3000 persons, young and old, attended the annual outing Saturday night of the Lutheran and Reformed Sunday schools of the Union Amityville church.

The event was held on the lawn adjoining the chapel. Music was furnished by the Pottstown band, William F. Lamb Jr., director.

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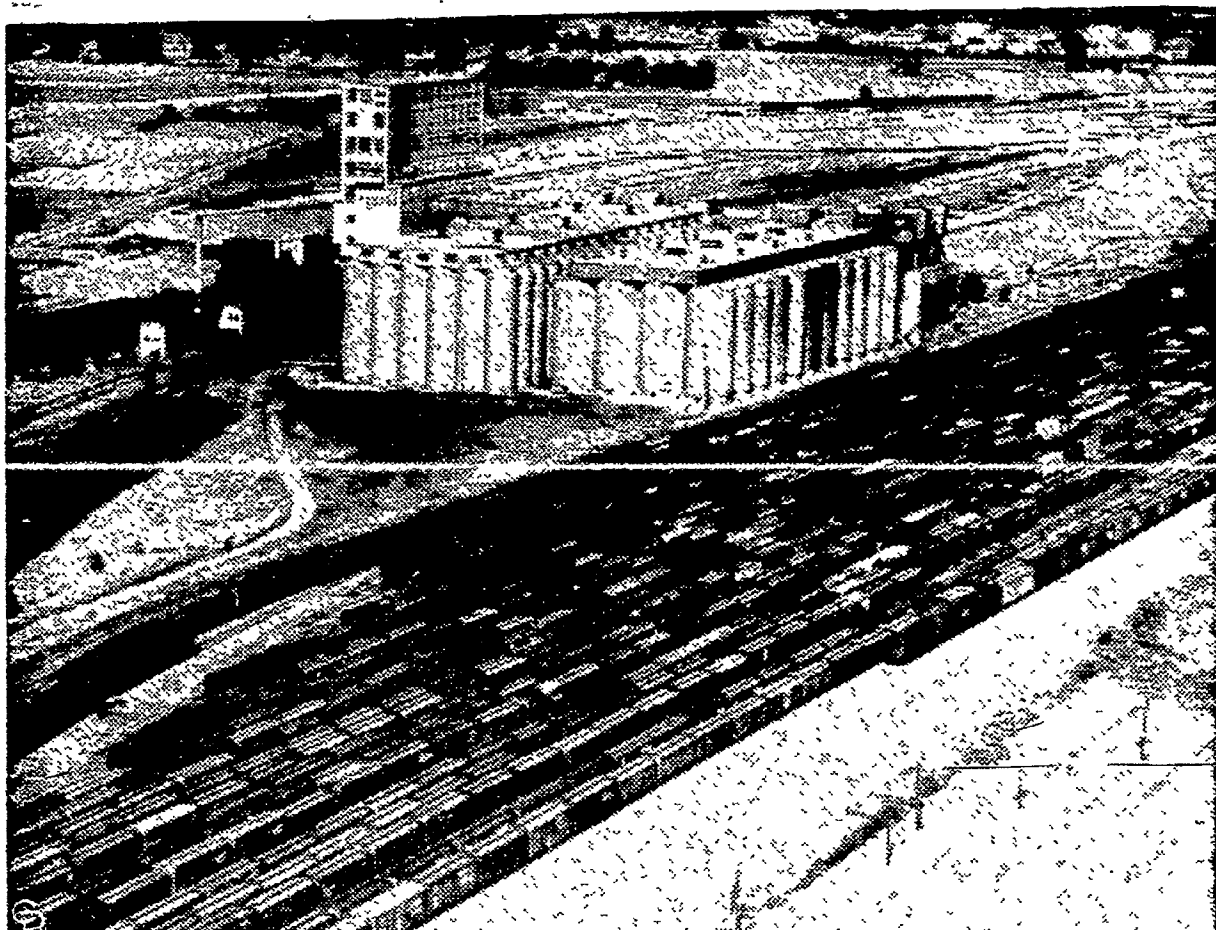
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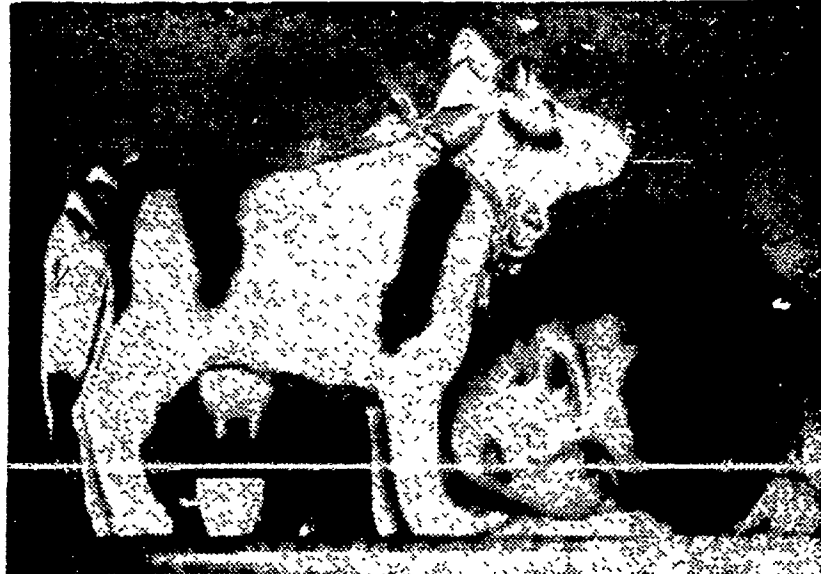
# AROUND THE WORLD THROUGH CAMERA'S EYE



**JAMMING THE RAILROAD YARDS** at Kansas City, Mo., thousands of wheat-filled trains carry more grain than the elevators can handle. The current bumper wheat crop is only partially harvested to date and is expected to exceed 180,000,000 bushels, which is 20,000,000 bushels over the government estimate. (International)



**BECAUSE** the Russians in their blockade of Berlin have closed the only bridge across the Elbe river, this German-owned ferry is only means of connecting Western Allied Zones with the German capital for ordinary traffic. Ferry, bearing two buses, approaches Berlin side of river. (International)



**DURING A SPECIAL SHOWING** in New York of toys that will be on the market next Christmas, cute Louise Du Rona peers intently (top) at a cow that can be "milked" while it moos. At bottom, she unzips a toy dog's tummy and takes out one of three extra pups. (International)



**MAKING THEIR FIRST APPEARANCE** before the public, three native-born tiger cubs at New York's Bronx Park Zoo attempt everything in the book to get a rise out of their mother, Dacca, herself a Bronxite. Below, Mrs. Helen Martini feeds one of the hungry threesome. (International)



**ACTRESS** — Alexis Smith, screen actress, wears this hand-knit tacy while jumper, designed and made in London.



**TAKING TIME OFF** from scholastic duties, U. S. Military Academy debating team visits Royal Military college, Sandhurst, England. From left, Lt. Col. Terence Burrow, conducting officer; Lt. Col. Chester L. Johnson, U. S. A.; Cadet Will F. Gorog, Warren, O.; Senior Under Officer Ian Baker, Sandhurst; John F. McArdle, California; Senior Officer Gavin Anderson, Sandhurst; Cadet Richard A. MacKenzie, Savana, Ill., and Senior Under Officer Michael Hicks, Sandhurst. (International)



**VISITOR** — A Lapp child (left) looks at Prince Carl Gustaf of Sweden during visit to royal castle outside Stockholm. He comes from Taarna, Lapland, close to Arctic Circle.



**Democratic National Committee Chairman J. Howard McGrath** poses with a mechanical replica of the party symbol atop the marquee of the Bellevue-Stratford hotel, convention headquarters at Philadelphia.



**AN AMAZING CONTRIBUTION** to electronics and electrical communication that has been used experimentally to replace radio tubes, the Transistor (inset), has been developed by Bell Telephone laboratories, New York City. The device serves as an amplifier or an oscillator, and performs all functions of ordinary vacuum tube, but it involves no vacuum, no glass envelope, no grid, no plate, no cathode—therefore it has no warmup delay. Key scientists who invented gadget are Dr. William Shockley (seated), Dr. John Warden (left), and Dr. Walter H. Brattain. (International)



**FOOD IS DOLED OUT** by U. S. Army Sgt. Daniel Caffery of Summithill, Pa., to one of thousands of Japanese made homeless by earthquake and conflagration that destroyed textile city of Fukui in western Japan. (International Soundphoto)



**BIG FRY FOR SMALL FRY** — Janet (left) and Judy Smith survey their catch at Naches, near Yakima, Wash.



**CITIZENS OF LACROSSE, Wis.,** claim oldest, most successful pig club in nation. The LaCrosse Pig club has been functioning 31 years and has been responsible for building many fine herds through encouraging boys and girls to raise pure bred pigs. (International)



**ROYALTY AT THE WHEEL** — Prince Bertil of Sweden goes for a spin around the oval at Soldier's Field, Chicago, in an Offenbouser midget racing car.



**TOTS DRESSED ALIKE** — Children in Holland are dressed alike—except for caps—until they are 8 years old. Boys' caps are of 6 pieces of cloth, girls' of 3 pieces. Child on left of these four at Marken, Holland, is girl. The others are boys.



# MILKMAN'S WOES —

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about his task, some character stuck his nose out the door and quipped: "It's too — early in the morning to be happy."

Scherer learned early to be wary of drooping chin lines.

In one neighborhood, where low lines seems to be the fashion, the milkman nearly ceased being a milkman. His chin caught on a clothesline, and as he phrased it: "I suddenly felt my Adam's apple slipping around to the back of my neck."

**MILKMAN MUST** exercise some sort of moral restraint, too. A deliverer for the Moses dairy, operated by Stauffer Bros. on Limerick-Schwenkville road, once received a note asking him to toss pebbles at a certain window at a certain time.

The driver thought that someone had to be absolutely awakened at that time for a particular reason, but it later developed that the housekeeper merely wanted to chat with the milkman.

Mrs. Moses recalled one aggravating incident that re-occurs over by Stauffer Bros. The milkman, a fellow climbs three or four flights of stairs to the top apartment to find that the housewife's note states: "One extra quart over again."

"SOME VERY annoying things we find in milk bottles include: empty cigarette packages, cigar butts and other items which are hard to get out," said Walter Grow, operator of Clover Leaf dairies.

"Kids," he laughed, "sometimes push horse chestnuts in them and they have to be pushed out. But try doing it sometime when there's no opening at the other end."

That's one for Mandrake the Magician, since the horse chestnuts often swell up inside the bottle.

While dairy people often see humor in the milk business, they are also frequently disgusted with the way careless individuals use their bottles. Many of them come back with sour milk encrusted in them.

Innumerable bottles have held oils and lubricants before they're returned. Factories and jack-of-all-trade mechanics have been responsible for this.

Kids use them for sand, contractors get plaster on them, and many bottles come back in such condition that they must be discarded.

**ALL RETURNED BOTTLES**, however, go through a comprehensive cleansing process which leaves them absolutely sterile.

Miller C. Long, manager of Laurel Locks farms, emphasized that all creameries have the bottles checked by special employees. They are then soaked for 12 minutes in a caustic solution which sterilizes them. Then they are rinsed, steamed, and made sterile again in a chlorine solution. After that, they go to the bottler and are untouched by human hands until filled and capped.

Long also agreed that milkmen must be able to read minds. They must be able to tell what is in the housekeeper's thoughts even though she doesn't write it that way on the note.

"Sometimes women write the notes in a hurry and put down exactly what they don't want. The customer is always right, though," he asserted.

**ANOTHER MAN**, John Earl Miller, Fifth and State streets, who has been delivering milk for 30 years, has found everything from brooch pins to marbles to clothing in bottles. He admitted that for the most part, he found dirty bottles.

He said he believed that milkmen particularly get wrought up when they have to stand on their heads to fish notes out of bottle bottoms, then find that the inked writing has gotten wet and is illegible.

Then too, Miller has stumbled over children's toys and has had to fidget with locked gates which, in the end, he has had to climb over.

John Levan, a milkman who resides at 585 Jefferson avenue, has spent 6½ years finding gum balls, eggshells, and orange skins in bottles, too. He has also tripped over unseen objects, carelessly left lying in his well-worn daily path.

These things may be all in a day's work to the milkman, but it's certain he must have an iron constitution to stand the public's gaff for such long periods.

Bakelite, an artificial substitute for hard rubber, celluloid, or amber, was invented by Dr. Leo Bakeland about 1909.

# Scouts Pass Tests During Camping Trip

Seven scouts of Troop 15, sponsored by Grace Lutheran church, returned Friday from a four-day camping trip to Camp Twin Creeks, a campsite located about four miles from Montgomery County park.

The Scouts were accompanied on the trip by Scoutmaster Harold Houck who passed all of the boys in several advancement tests. Patrol Leader Carl Stahl advanced to first class scout, while Sherwood Yergey advanced to second class scout.

Five other scouts, Robert Nester, Gerald Miller, Donald Levengood, Richard Weiss and Robert Mayberry, all passed five or more tests.

Mornings during the four-day trip were devoted to scoutcraft, while the afternoons and evenings were spent swimming or around the campfire. The boys lined the paths to the campfire circle with stones, constructed a gate and built a bridge over the creek.

The camp received its name at a formal dedication ceremony Friday morning when water from the two creeks was poured on the campfire circle.

# DEMOCRATS —

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hopes the justice now "will make himself available" for the vice presidential spot.

And Douglas looked like as good a bet as anyone, and a better bet than most, for second place.

Top men in the party and convention were flitting with the idea of Douglas for vice president. But the justice himself was being coy and having "no comment."

And booms of varying strength were under way for other potential Truman running mates: Senator

# What Party, Please?

**NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 11 (P)**—Observers at the Union station of the New Haven railroad reported that the Massachusetts delegation to the Democratic National convention passed through here at 4 p. m. today in a Pullman car bearing the name "Calvin Coolidge."

Alben W. Barkley of Kentucky, Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney of Wyoming and Rep. John W. McCormack of Massachusetts prominent among them.

**THE PEPPER** people moved into a headquarters once used by backers of the abortive boom for Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower. They pulled down Eisenhower's picture but left up the signs saying "peoples choice for president."

A seven member committee of Democrats who wanted somebody other than Mr. Truman announced late today they had settled on the Florida Senator who has the reputation of being one of the most leftist men in the party.

Then Pepper turned up with his "I accept" pronouncement at a news conference in his new headquarters.

Seated at a table behind a battery of microphones, his pretty wife beside him, the senator said he came to Philadelphia with the belief "the one man to lead this nation was Dwight D. Eisenhower."

But since Eisenhower refused to be drafted, Pepper said: "Many delegates have been looking for someone to present the principles of Franklin D. Roosevelt. They have been looking for a man to express these principles. I accept."

He said he had a "good hope" of winning, that liberals in the convention would flock to him.

# 71 Children Registered At Vacation Bible School

Seventy-one youngsters were enrolled during the first week of the vacation Bible school of the Assemblies of God Tabernacle, according to the pastor, the Rev. Forrest T. Nelson.

Classes will continue from 6-8 o'clock each night this week, with graduation exercises scheduled for 6 p. m. Friday.

A review of the work and an exhibition of handiwork done by the children will feature Friday night's ceremonies.

**INJURIES FATAL** PITTSBURGH, July 11 (P) — Mrs. Mary Ann Stanley, 78, of New York City, died today in Homestead hospital of injuries sustained late Friday in an auto-truck collision.

# Stowe Quoit Clubmen Defeat Legion Team

A Stowe Quoit club team beat representatives of the George A. Amole Post 47, American Legion, by a score of 100-98 yesterday afternoon following a club meeting.

Representing the quoit club were Richard Duden and Arthur Dietrich, while the American Legion quottmen were Joseph Kelly and Morris Kurnal.

During the club's business meeting, a picnic was announced for Aug. 1, to be held at Hartenstein's Grove.

# Secrecy Surrounds Flight of B17 Bomber

**HARRISON, N. Y., July 11 (P)** — A B17 bomber landed at Westchester county airport today and later took off with about ten passengers bound for an undisclosed destination.

One airport spokesman said the plane's pilot, identified only as A. Frederick, refused to file a flight plan. He described the plane's arrival and departure as "very hush-hush."

The New York Herald-Tribune later said its "flying newsroom" plane had followed the B17 from the field to a point outside the continental limits of the U. S. and far out over the ocean on a course from Cape Ann, Mass.

The paper said "It is believed that the plane is being flown to the Haganah forces in Israel."

# PROTEST TURNED DOWN

**PITTSBURGH, July 11 (P)** — A group of clergymen have lost their fight to keep the Allegheny County Free fair from being held on Sunday, Sept. 5. The county commissioners say it will be held as scheduled.

# BICYCLE COURT —

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is in danger, but also the life of the person riding with you."

He then asked the police chief for his observations.

Chief of Police Laughhead said that he'd noticed children violating the ordinance by putting their license behind the seat where it could be obscured by coat-tails. No such violators were present at the court.

Strange agreed about the violations and remarked without expression, "I think the best thing to do is to call it to their attention."

Court was adjourned, and the chosen band of violators rushed out to their bicycles which had been parked on the sidewalk of Penn street in clear-cut violation of the ordinance.

# MISSIONARY —

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sionary instead of staying on here," she added.

**MISS CHILDS**, whose father was a Hindu and mother a Moslem, told of her part in the bloody strife which has split those factions in India.

During the trouble she was in constant danger, she explained. As a worker in a Hindu refugee camp, she had been warned many times by Moslems to cease her work.

She continued, however, and, in the end, converted several Moslems to the Christian faith simply by the good example of the workers in the camp.

About 100 attended the 9:30 a. m. service at Cedarville and 40 came to the session at Temple.

The speaker is visiting this country to study and observe Methodist camps.

# New Electric Nerve For Polio Cases Shown

**NEW YORK, July 11 (P)** — A new electrical nerve, that substitutes for paralyzed nerves in infantile paralysis, was shown here today at the first international polio conference.

The nerve is a generator of weak, alternating currents, numbering from two to six thousand a second. It was developed by the General Electric company and the G-E-X-Ray corporation.

The current replaces one or many lost nerves. It causes muscles to tense. They swell and relax, with the current, like the flexing of biceps.

# Borough Briefs

Three local drivers will receive summonses from Justice of the Peace Charles A. Andre, of the West ward, for alleged vehicle code violations.

Robert E. Weekley, 1161 South street, was charged by Patrolman Charles Stetler with reckless driving at the High and Hanover streets intersection at 8 p. m. the past Thursday.

Motor Patrolman Earl J. Rhoads arrested Byron E. Crosby, 26 East Third street, on a charge of failing to stop at a stop sign at York and Beech streets yesterday afternoon, and Ray Peck, of Douglassville RD 2, on a charge of passing a red light at High and Franklin streets yesterday morning.

**JEWELER SLAIN** PITTSBURGH, July 11 (P) — Joshua Lipman, 59-year-old Hazlewood jeweler, was found shot to death in his store yesterday and police say they believe he was killed in a gun battle with a would-be holdup man.

# TRAFFIC CRASHES

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It was turned completely around by the impact, but remained on its wheels.

**WHILE DEVON** State police, who investigated, said they would join Seibold in protesting to Harrisburg about the sign hidden behind a large maple tree, they said they would send Taylor a summons for driving through the intersection.

The troopers explained that a driver is supposed to halt before a through-traffic highway, whether or not there is a stop sign.

Three hours earlier Saturday, at 3 p. m., another car going the same way on Route 23 escaped serious damage at the same intersection.

Seibold said that the car, occupied by three women from Ohio, went past the hidden stop sign into the path of a truck loaded with dirt. The truck driver managed to swerve away, and the car was only grazed.

Since the damage was trifling, no official investigation was made.

**A TRUCK-TRAILER** crashed into the left side of an automobile at 2:35 o'clock yesterday afternoon, wrecking the side of the car but leaving the driver uninjured.

Carl Young, of the Merchants hotel, was driving his truck south on Hanover street, when he began to turn right into High street.

According to the police, his vehicle struck a car driven by Andrew S. Benyo, of Boyertown RD 1, which was going in the same direction and also turning right into High street.

The left front fender of the sedan was smashed. In addition, the top of the hood and the roof were damaged. The right front fender of the truck was slightly damaged as the result of the collision. The accident was investigated by

# Borough Pastor Willed \$10,000; Woman's Kin Loses Court Battle

One Pottstownian won and another lost in a court battle Saturday over a \$100,000 will.

Both were relatives of Mrs. Claire D. B. Bostock, Norristown, who died March 26, 1947, three weeks after her husband's death.

Mrs. Estelle H. Wright, 1231 Maple street, one of three nieces of Mrs. Bostock contesting the will, lost her fight to have the will set aside.

**WHEREAS THE REV. IRA W. Bechtel**, 211 Henry street, a cousin of Mrs. Bostock, is in line to receive \$10,000, as stipulated in the will.

The dispute came before Judge Edward L. Van Roden, Delaware County Orphans court.

Mrs. Wright and the other two nieces, Bertha Koch, Maple Shade, N. J., and Bellie M. Dillingham, Washington, Okla., contended the deceased had

written her will under undue influence and did not possess testamentary capacity when she executed it.

None of the nieces was a beneficiary.

In addition to the Rev. Bechtel, who preaches at the Holiness Christian church, Seyfert, Berks county, and was an intimate of Mrs. Bostock, others mentioned in the will are:

**MRS. ELIZABETH Carcarey**, Norristown, bequest of \$7000; bequests of \$200 each to namesakes Claire Miller, Claire Cherry and Claire Carcarey; St. John's Episcopal church, Norristown, bequest of \$2000; and the residue of the estate in fourths to her sister, Mattie Overholzer, Germantown, a niece, Ruth Wagenhurst, and two nephews, William and Walter Wagenhurst.

The Rev. Bechtel preached in Pottstown Holiness Christian church 20 years ago.

**SPECIAL OFFICER Andrew Kovach**, John Marshall, of 465 North Franklin street, was being held in Pottstown hospital last night for observation of possible chest injuries after the car he was driving skidded into a tree yesterday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock.

He was driving north on Route 100, near French Creek, when the car went out of control and struck the tree. No one else was involved.

**NORRISTOWN MAN SUICIDE** OCEAN CITY, N. J., July 11 (P) — Lloyd I. MacMullan Jr., 20-year-old Norristown, Pa., man, committed suicide by poisoning as he sat in a parked car on a deserted dead end street near the beach. Police Chief Robert J. Laskey reported.

**A VATICAN-like state**, Azzam Pasha continued, could have ambassadors and ministers, be a member of the U. N., and have the right to speak in the name of the world's Jews.

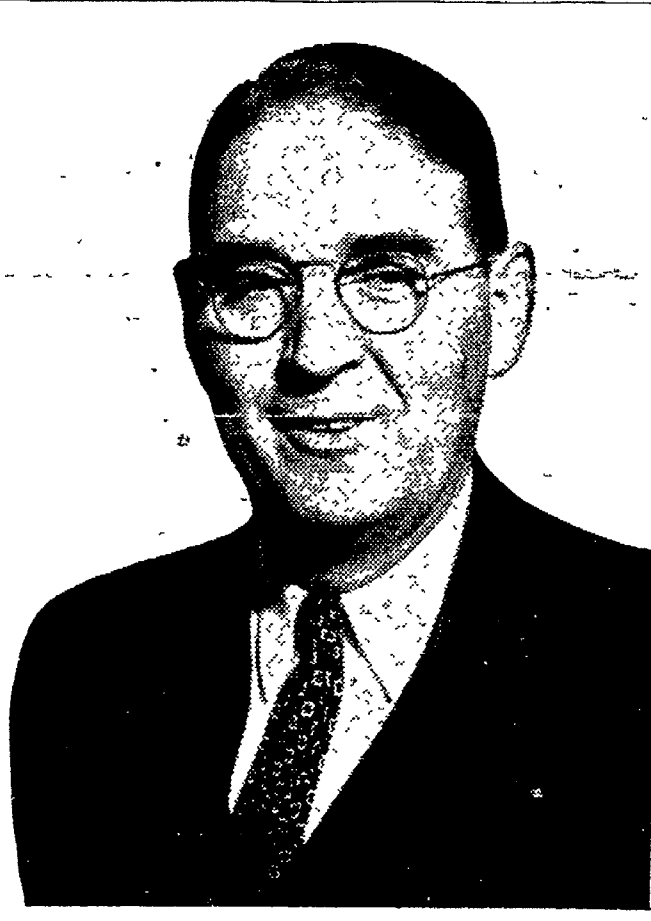
Bears use moss plants for bedding for their long winter hibernation.

# AZZAM PASHA —

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self, and this is supposed to represent the Jews of the world. It is the greatest fallacy and delusion of the Jewish people can ever get. If the Jewish Communists of Israel become a majority then it would become a Communist state, not a Jewish state."

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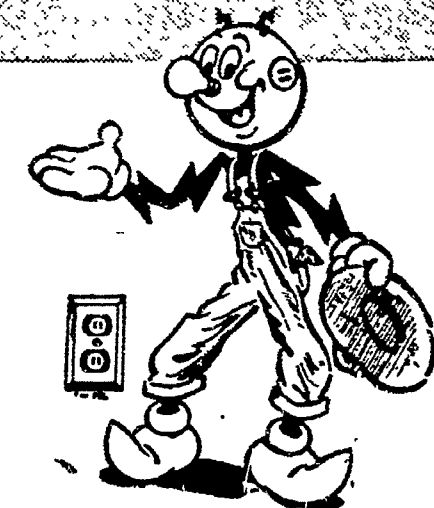
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10:00	Fred Waring Road of Life Joyce Jordan	Let's Have Fun Guest Star Sing Along	My True Story Guest Star Sing Along	Mac McGuire Comedy Mac McGuire
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1:00	Melody Magic Rob. McCormick Music News	Mr. Sister Ma Perkins Mr. Malone	Rhythm Show Keyboard Capers Annie Ives, News	Freddie Martin John Nesbitt Melody Gems
2:00	Double or Nothing Today's Children Light on Words	Mrs. Burton Mrs. Mason Nora Drake	Banana Band Spotlight Lady Bride & Groom	Queen For a Day Lobby Parley
3:00	Life, Beautiful Ma Perkins Pepper Young	David Harum Hilltop House House Party	Ladies Be Seated Second Announcement	Vocal Varieties News: Song
4:00	Barstow Wife Stella Dallas Lorenzo Jones	Hunt Hunt Hunt Hunt Creighn Stewart	For the Luvva Mike Music Goes	Melody Show Kitchen. Kapers Tiny Ruffner
5:00	Widder Brown Hunt Hunt Patria Place Life	News: Weather Spotlight Show S. America Way	Dick Tracy Fun House Sky King	Records Superman Adventure Parade
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EVENING				
	KYW NBO 1060 K	WOAU CBS 1210 K	WFLA ABC 560 K	WTP MBS 610 K
6:00	News: Talk Sports: Weather Bob Elson 3-Star Extra	Fred Maness Sports: Weather Peter Donald Lowell Thomas	Magic Lady Blair Crosby John Kennedy	Uncle Wip Jonan family Music
7:00	Supper Club News: Talk Quintet H. V. Kaltenborn	Robert Q. Lewis Jerry Wayne Jerry Doyle	Norman Black News: Talk Lone Ranger	Unseen Advisor News: Talk Henry Taylor
8:00	Cavaliers of America Eleanor Sieber	Inner Sanctum Cabin B-13	Sound Off Stars in the Night	All-Star Preview Democratic Convention
9:00	John C. Thomas Solidarity Convention	Eve Arden Solidarity Convention	Tomorrow's Tops Democratic Convention	Gabriel Heatter Solidarity Convention
10:00	Convention Proceedings	Senator Barker Romance	Band Show Barker Romance	Convention Proceedings
11:00	Fred Waring Dick Dudley Cavallaro	News: Weather News: Orchestra	News: Weather Duke Billington	Come and Dance Bandwagon

## BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By SHEPARD BARCLAY

**Good as An Opening**

OFTEN a hand, which does not quite justify an opening bid, due to lack of honor strength, is at least as good as a minimum opening bid for the declarer's purposes if it contains a suit which fits well with your partner's holding. In such an event, it is well to proclaim the fact to him with a jump bid on your next turn, or else by going all the way to game in the fitting suit. Failure to do that may result in his passing the deal out at less than a game contract when a game is in the cards.

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♣ K 7 6	♣ K 8 6
♠ A 9 4	
♥ J 9 7 3	
♦ J 9 5 3	

(Dealer: North. Neither side vulnerable.)

North	East	South	West
1♥	1♠	2♥	2♠
3♥	3♠		

It was really just too bad to see the way that East and West lost their chance for a game. To West, the final bid of 2-Spades by East sounded a good deal like a one-trick sacrifice, and he therefore dropped it at that level, since his own hand was not much better than a bare minimum opening and his partner had passed on his first turn.

West was exactly right to pass this, as he pointed out during the post-mortem. The one at fault was

East. For playing with spades as the trump, he had about as good a hand as you expect to find, barring freaks, by a player whose opening pass could be sound. As soon as he heard his partner give him a single raise, betokening a fit, he should have stood ready to bid 4-Spades on his own next turn.

There was nothing at all to the stunt of making enough tricks for game. In fact, East took an extra trick above the game number because the heart K sat over the A. But, alas, no game resulted, because it had not been bid.

East's only reason for passing originally was his lack of defensive strength. But his question of bidding game had nothing to do with defensive values, but only offensive ones. From that standpoint, his hand was better than some minimum 1-Spade openings, having a very good four playing tricks. As we pointed out two decades ago, an opening bid opposite an opening bid will nearly always make a game if the two hands fit.

Tomorrow's Problem

♠ K 9	♠ J 10 4 3
♥ 6 5	♥ A Q J
♦ A 10 8 3	♦ 10 4
♣ A 10 6 4 2	♣ Q 3
♠ K 7 6	
♥ K 9 4	
♦ K 8 6	

(Dealer: North. Neither side vulnerable.)

Why is 1-Spade a better bid by South than 2-No Trumps after North's 1-Club and East's 1-Heart?

## NEW BERLINVILLE

Miranda Boyer, corr. West News Agency, delivery Phone Boyertown 18.

Jean Reppert and Doris Stahl, of Zion's church, left recently for the Evangelical camp in Perkasie.

The following visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Miller recently: Mrs. Alvin Sterner, Mrs. William Schlegel and children, Virginia and Leon; Mrs. Lizzie Osman, Mrs. Edith Osman, Mrs. Irene Osman, Mrs. Carrie Guidin, Mr. and Mrs. William Schollenberger, Mrs. Warren Beidler and son, Gordon; Mrs. Esther Fink, Mrs. Edna Henry, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Shane and children, David and Mary Elizabeth; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Terry and Mrs. Walbert.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Miller Jr. and daughter, Donna Marie; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sany and Mrs. Daniel Freese, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davidheiser, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pinter and son, Mrs. Luella Eshbach, Anna Mae Mest and Mrs. Hilda Frain and children, Reda and Barbara Ann.

Miss Vivian Miller and Miss Jean Reigner, spent the holidays in Atlantic City.

Mrs. William Miller, who is ill, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gilbert made a trip to Reading. Their daughter, Myrtle Gilbert, who spent several days with her friend, Mary Weider, accompanied them home.

Owen Henry, of Albright college, Reading, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Henry and brother, Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moyer and children, Donald and Ruth, of Mt. Penn; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pegley, of Bowers; Mrs. Delilah Brown, of Boyertown, and Mrs. Laura Johnson visited the Yoder sisters.

Mrs. Joseph Moyer spent a day with her sister, Mrs. William Miller. A Fourth of July picnic was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Henry, with all of the children and grandchildren attending.



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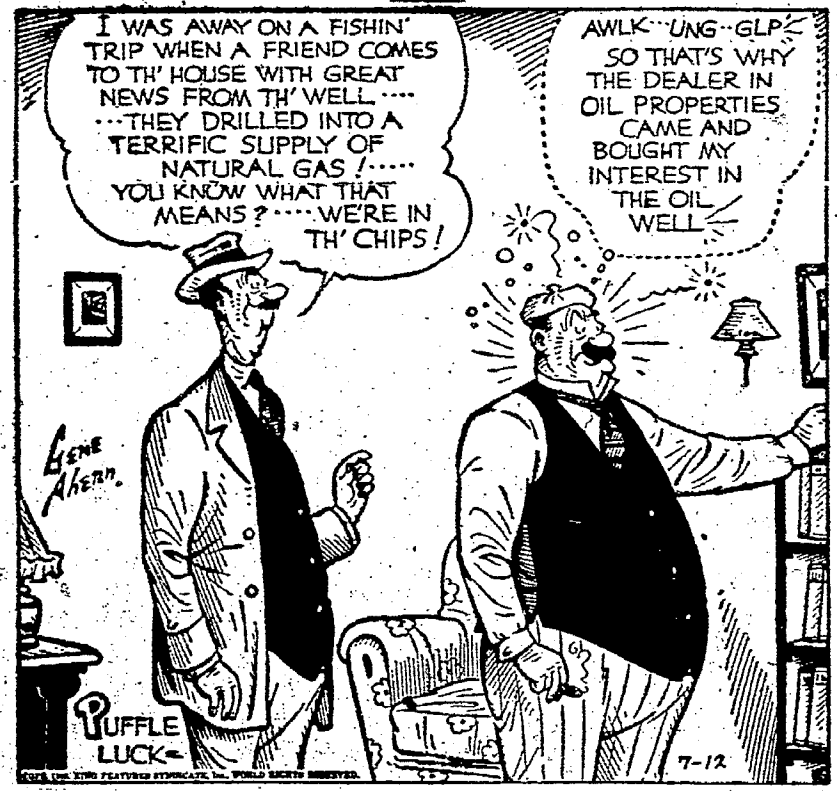


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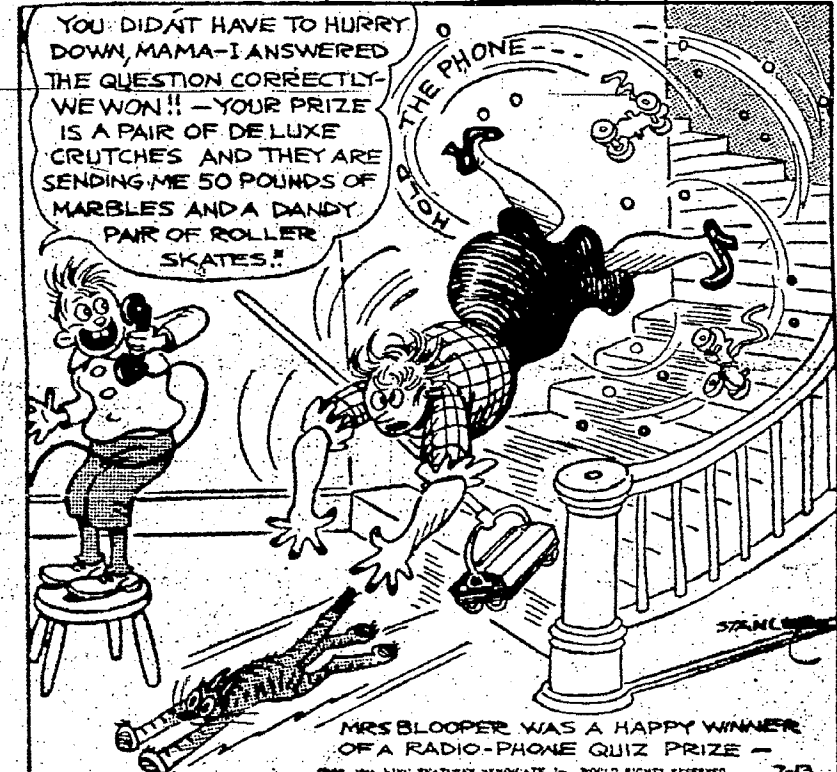
**HOAX**  
SOON AFTER THE CIVIL WAR IN THE U.S. THE CARDIFF GIANT WAS FOUND NEAR CARDIFF, N.Y. SIX MILLION PEOPLE PAID 50 CENTS A HEAD TO VIEW THE PETRIFIED BODY BEFORE IT WAS DISCOVERED THE 10-FOOT, 2-AND 1/2-INCH FIGURE WAS A PIECE OF CARVED GYPSUM.

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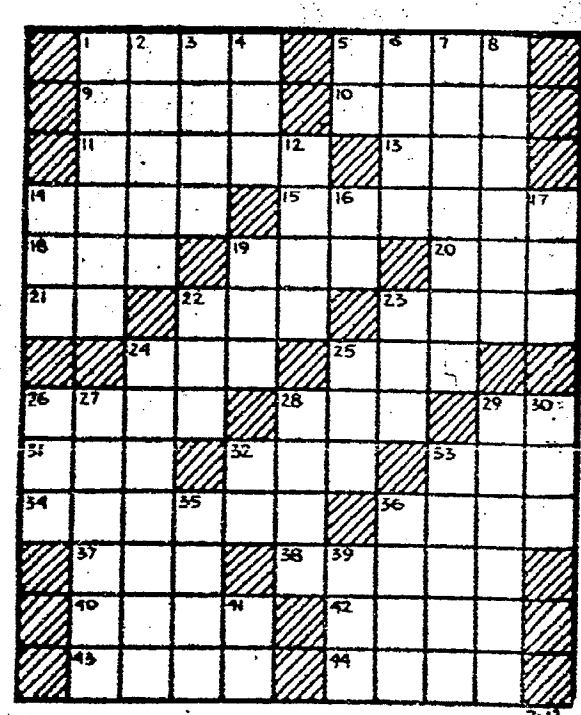


## THE OLD HOME TOWN by STANLEY



## TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

- ACROSS**
- Thrash
  - Too
  - Mother of Apollo
  - Specks
  - Fragrance
  - Cry of a crow
  - A shred
  - Freeholder
  - Frozen water
  - Preserve
  - Shilling (abbr.)
  - Expression of disgust
  - Soon
  - Network
  - Melt
  - Wild ox (Tibet)
  - River (abbr.)
  - Spring month
  - A striking success (slang)
  - Not fair
  - Destiny
  - Speak
  - Tendency
  - Metallic rocks
  - Toward the lee
  - A batch
  - Flock
- DOWN**
- Bleach
  - Weird
  - On top



## DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

AXYDLEAAXE  
LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

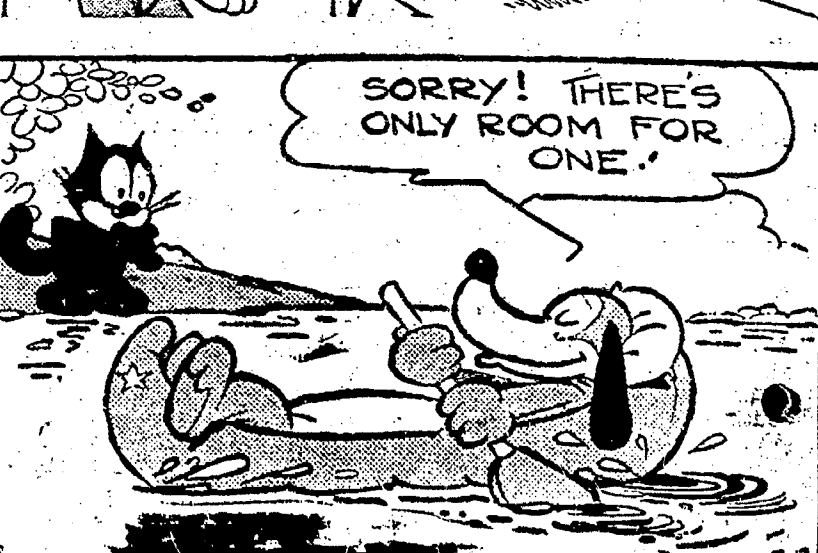
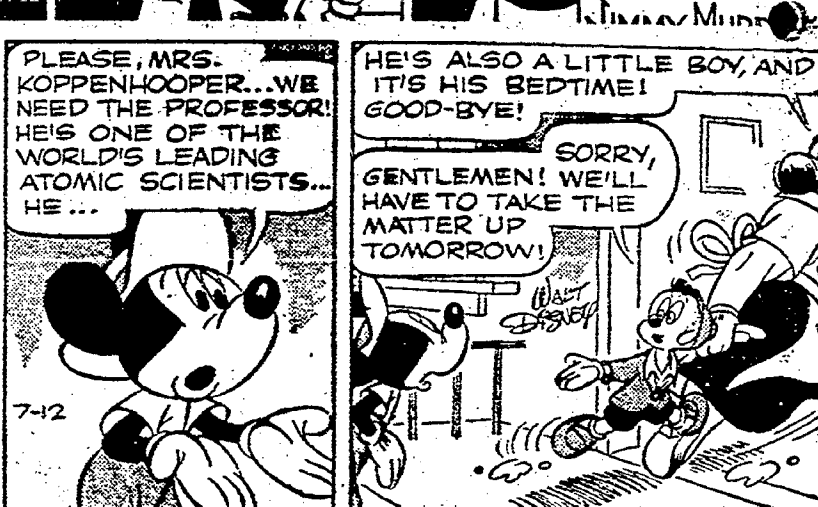
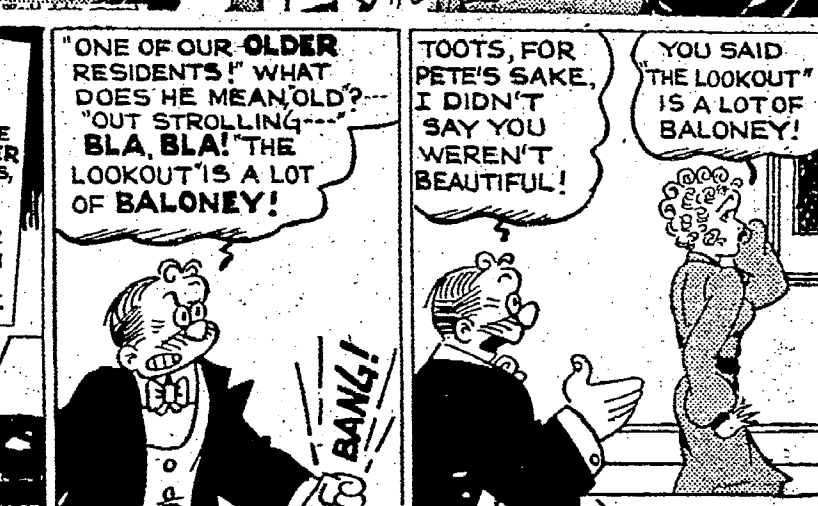
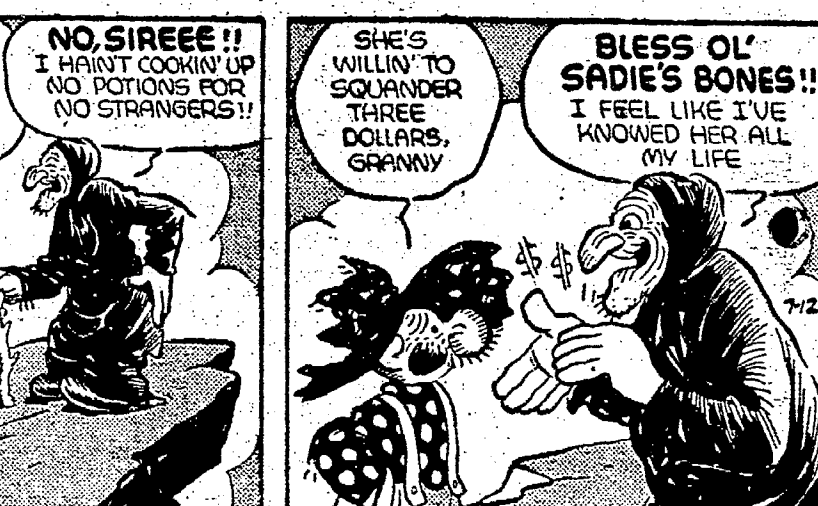
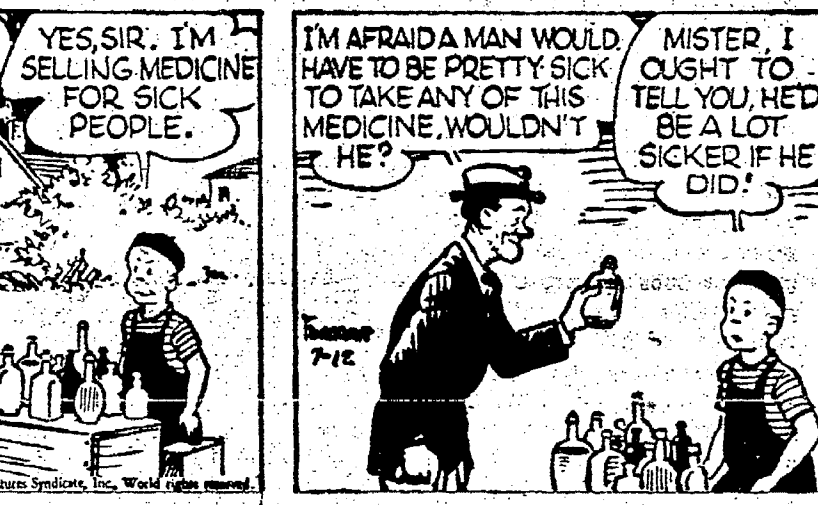
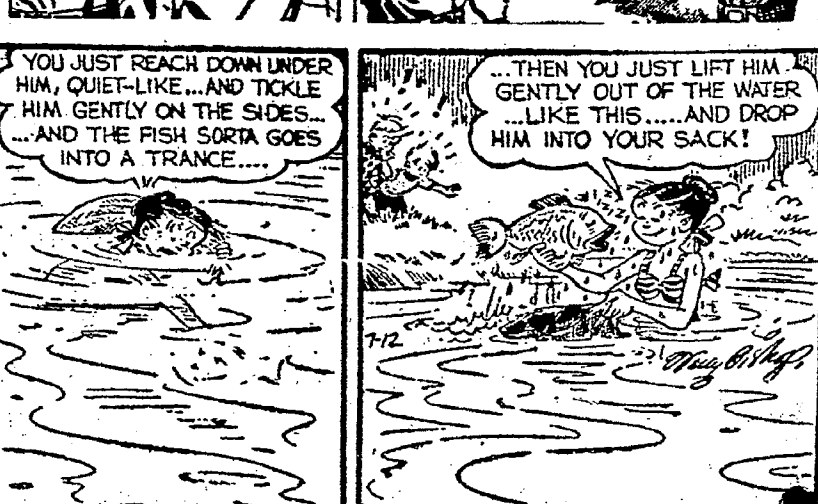
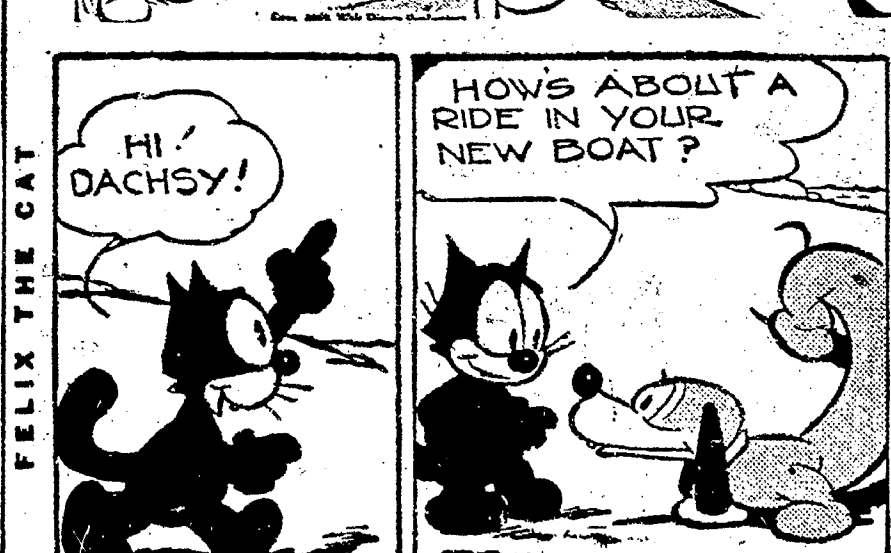
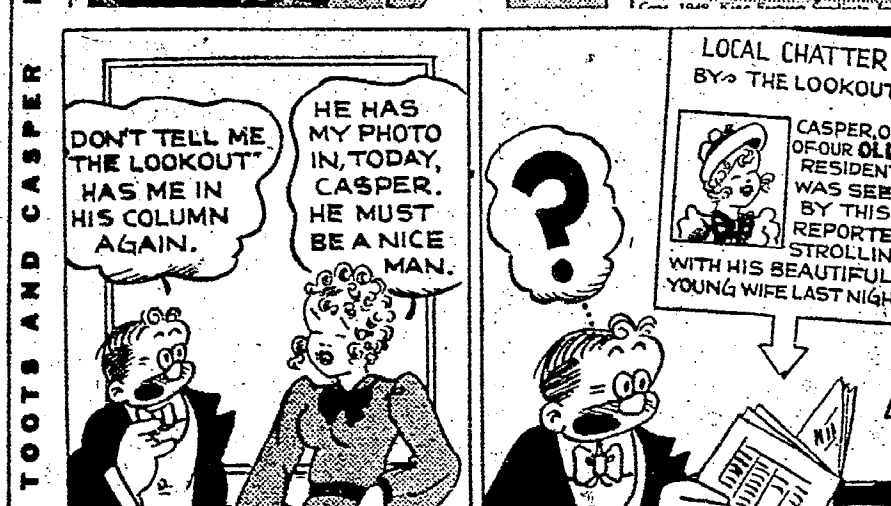
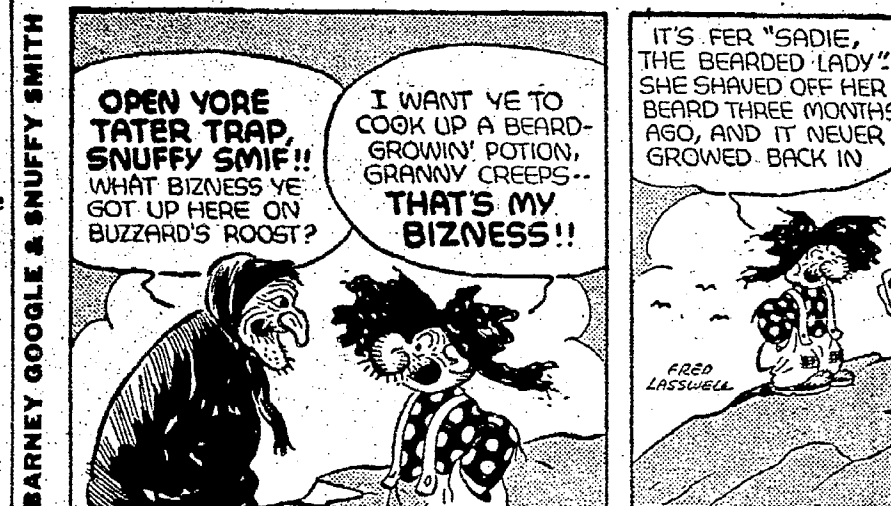
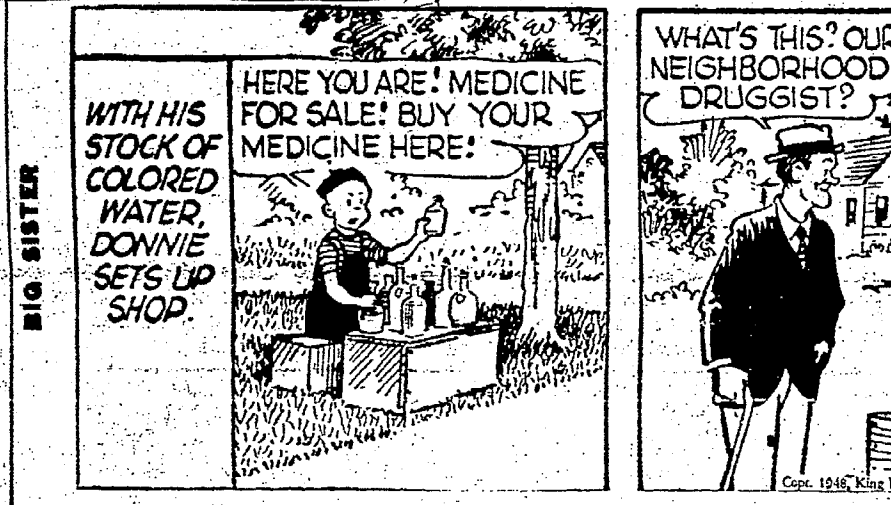
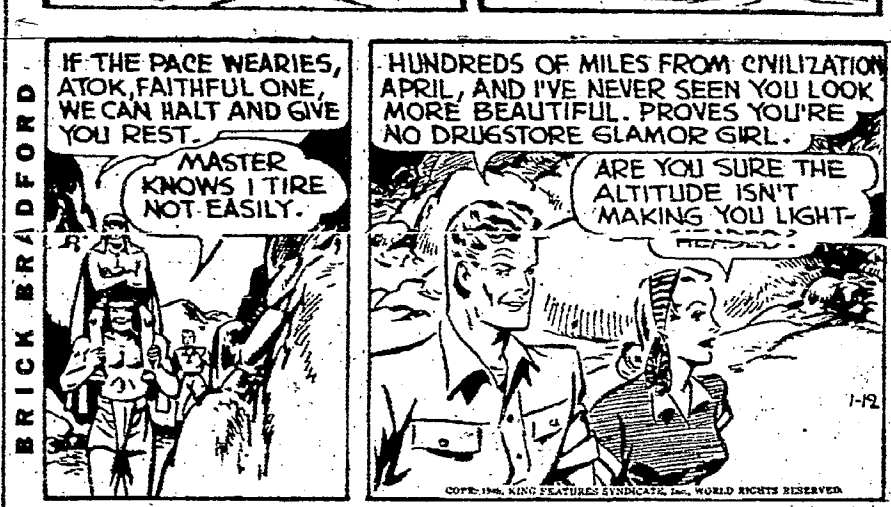
## A Cryptogram Question

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Saturday's Cryptogram: THEN HE WILL TALK — GOOD GODS. HOW HE WILL TALK! — LEE.

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## TIM TYLER'S LUCK



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Brownies to Give Young Boys Chance to Make Big Leagues

The St. Louis Browns, in urgent need of cash, sold all-most every star player on their roster the past Winter. Today, with plenty of cash in the treasury, the Browns are looking for new talent, new faces and better players.

THE AGE LIMIT will be the same as any other tryout camp. Boys 16-22 may enroll for the Browns tryouts here.

manager of the Brownies, will be here to assist Hartline with the workouts. Hartline said he expects to have as many boys at the Brownie camp as were at the Boston Braves camp the past year.



BOB LEMON

LEMON NOTCHES WIN NO. 13 IN NIGHTCAP, 5-0

Brownies Edge Indians In Opener, 3-2, on Homer By Less Moss in Ninth

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A'S TOP BOSOX BY 7-5 AFTER LOSING 9-8 TILT

Red Sox Win Opener in 10th Inning; Fowler Victor in Second Game

Boston Braves Whip Phillies, 9-4, To Extend Lead to 5 1/2 Games



ANDY PAFKO

PAFKO'S HOME RUN ENABLES CHICAGO TO NIP BUGS, 1-0

CHICAGO, July 11 (P) — Andy Pafko belted his 13th home run of the season to return Russ Meyer a 1-0 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates here today before 29,683. It gave the Cubs a sweep of the three-game series. Meyer allowed only two hits for his ninth victory.

BOSTON, July 11 (P) — Connie Ryan, filling in for the crippled Eddie Stanky, collected three hits and drove in as many runs as the Boston Braves swept a three-game series from the Philadelphia Phillies, 9-4, today before a 14,245 crowd. The win enabled the Braves to extend their National League lead to five and a half games.

Lefty Warren Spahn, who started for the Braves, had to be yanked in the fourth, when the Phils clubbed him for two more tallies to pull into a 4-4 tie.

That deadlock was snapped in the fifth, when the Braves scored three on Jim Russell's three-bagger, doubles by Bob Elliott and Bill Sisk, and a Ryan single.

Newhouse Wins 13th as Detroit Edges Chicago, 5-4

DETROIT, July 11 (P) — The Detroit Tigers finished off their seventh straight win today with a snappy ninth-inning double play that cut short a three-run Chicago White Sox rally and left the tally at 5-4.

The victory gave Hal Newhouse 13 triumphs and the edge in the majors until Cleveland's Bob Lemon tied him by trouncing St. Louis.

Chicago's fifth-inning homer sending in three runs proved to be the crucial blow for the Tigers. But much of the credit goes to Virgil Trucks, who relieved Newhouse in the eighth with bases loaded and retired the Sox by striking out Pat Seery.

Giants Win Over Brooklyn by 3-2 On Conway's Homer

NEW YORK, July 11 (P) — Jack Conway belted his first homer of the season in the ninth inning today to give the New York Giants a 3-2 victory over the Brooklyn Dodgers.

The victory enabled the Giants to regain fourth place from the Dodgers, who won the first two games of the series.

Two DOUBLE WINNERS DETROIT, July 11 (P) — Blonnie Ann Curtis of San Francisco and Jimmy McLane, the slim Andover schoolboy from Akron, Ohio, came through as double first winners today in the final American Olympic swim team trials.

How they stand

Table with 2 columns: Team, Wins, Losses, Pct. Includes standings for American League, National League, and other leagues.

SENATORS RALLY IN LATE INNINGS TO BEAT YANKEES

WASHINGTON, July 11 (P) — Washington unleashed its biggest batting barrage of the season here today to defeat the New York Yankees 9-4. The Senators overcame a 4-1 deficit by scoring four runs in the seventh inning and four more in the eighth in the course of a 15-hit attack on four New York pitchers.

Tommy Byrne, who helped boost the Yankees into a lead with an inside-the-park home run after Phil Rizzuto had singled off Walter Masterson in the fifth inning, was replaced in the seventh. Frank Shea replaced him and was charged with the loss, his ninth, as Ed Stowar slammed him for singles after Eddie Yost had singled and Earl Wooten walked.

St. Louis Cardinals edged Cleveland Indians 5-4 in a 10-inning contest today. The Cardinals won the game in the 10th inning on a home run by Stan Musial.

Larry Bloomer Dominates Racing Show at Sanatoga

Larry Bloomer, veteran Norristown driver, dominated last night's midjet auto racing program at the Sanatoga speedway as he sped to victory in three events — including the 25-lap Sanatoga sweepstakes. A throng of 7000 fans watched the seven-event program.

Bloomer, starting in the pole position, took an early lead in the feature race and had little trouble in staying ahead of the pack throughout the race. He finished 10 car lengths ahead of Andy VanHusen, who edged Dutch Schaeffer for second place.

PHILADELPHIA, July 11 (P) — The Boston Red Sox and Philadelphia Athletics split a wild-scoring doubleheader today, the Sox winning the opener 9-8 in 10 innings and the A's coming back to take the nightcap 7-5. The second contest, in which Dick Fowler nipped his eighth victory, ended after seven and a half innings because of the Pennsylvania Sunday curfew law.

Local Athletes Fail In Olympic Trials

Fern Drumheller, former Pottstown High diver and swimming star, and Gerry Karver, former Boyertown High track star, failed to win a spot on the U.S. Olympic team over the weekend.

Amvets Cop 2 Games From Ridge; Stowe AC, Ringing Hill Split Pair

The Pottstown Amvets strengthened their hold on first place in the Southern division of the Tri-County league yesterday by sweeping a doubleheader from Ridge, 5-2 and 11-2, on Swinehart Field.

How they stand

Table with 2 columns: Team, Wins, Losses, Pct. Includes standings for Amvets and other leagues.

Cardinalettes Lose 2 Games Over Weekend

The Pottstown Cardinalettes dropped two games over the weekend for their longest losing streak since the team organized the past year.

How they stand

Table with 2 columns: Team, Wins, Losses, Pct. Includes standings for Cardinalettes and other leagues.

Nels Weidenbaugh Sels Batting Pace In City League Here

Nels Weidenbaugh, 1946 City-Industrious league batting champ, banged out three hits in four official appearances at the plate during the past two weeks to take over the hitting leadership in the local circuit.

Raffensberger Hurls Redlegs To 1-0 Victory

ST. LOUIS, July 11 (P) — Johnny Wyrostek's first-inning triple led to the only run of the game as Ken Raffensberger pitched the Cincinnati Reds to a one-hit 1-0 triumph over the St. Louis Cardinals today.

Today's Baseball

City-Industrial Baseball League Quoit club vs. UAW on Franklin Field at 6:15 o'clock.

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## PERKIOMENVILLE

Harry Blank, delivery.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. Yergler, Pennsburg, visited Mrs. Elizabeth Grubb.

Jacob Blank, Telford, spent an evening with Abram Blank and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Bullock and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bullock, Mrs. Pierson, of Spring City, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Schaeffer and daughter, of Pennsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gerhart, Allentown, and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Reed and family, of town, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. John Gerhart. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schmoeyer and family spent an evening at the same place.

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## Vacationing With Mercury Readers

By THE VACATION EDITOR  
Of The Mercury

When Pop waits 50 weeks for his annual jaunt to the mountains, then finds himself emmeshed in a deluge of idiotic whims, it's no small wonder he wants to hibernate in the nearest cave.

On a sweltering day when the family bus seems to be melting, daughter, Scarlet, the ultimate in hometown sophistication, insists that the windows be closed so her hair doesn't blow about. Truth be known, she would look better with it all over the place.

Junior isn't satisfied with the car. He cries to get out and ride the cows at every farm. Mom gripes about sitting so long, when at home she "never had time to get off her feet." Scarlet constantly wanders about with the "men" will be like.

Finally, in the cabin (without conveniences), the family screeches: "No refrigerator? We're not cooking with gas?"

Only thing cooking by that time is Pop's temper, so he flops into a rowboat with his fishing rod, and disappears for the sum total of 14 days.

"On a fishing vacation in Canada" is Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Huz-

zard, 833 Cross street, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Huzzard, 25 Apple street, Boyertown. Showing Gull Lake, Gravenhurst, Ontario, their card states: "The weather is superb and the fishing is wonderful."

Boots and Earl Slonaker and families are "having a fine time at Hershey Park."

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Steffey, Kermit and Dawn, and a Mrs. Xander, all of whom give no home address, are spending a few delightful days near Summit Hill. "Cool evenings,"

they wrote, "make sleeping comfortable. A wonderful mountain breeze from the Poconos." Shown on their postcard is the swimming pool at the Lansford Recreation center, Lansford.

Picturing the Greenport school, Greenport, Long Island, N. Y., is this card which came from Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Missimer, 363 Beech street, who are on vacation for 10 days.

"The school buildings are beautiful over here."

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yorgey, Ridge road, Linfield, sent this scene of the Bushkill falls, known as the Niagara of Pennsylvania.

"The scenery is beautiful through here."

"Having a swell vacation in Maine" were the words of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin R. Miller, 119 Chestnut street,

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